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ABSTRACT

A telephone public opinion survey asked 866 Nevada registered voters their opinions about the public schools. The developed questionnaire was approved by the Nevada Department of Education. Of the respondents, 51.15% agree that all students should have a specific job skill before graduating from high school and 76.67% agree that more importance should be given to occupational education. Over half (55.41%) do not agree with expanding the current 180-day school year. A majority (82.90%) agrees with putting more emphasis on helping students with handicaps. About half (52.30%) think the schools should provide day care services for children after the school day ends. A majority (87.99%) agrees that mathematics is very important for all students, while only 61.08% agree that physical education is very important. Of all of the subjects, English grammar and composition receives the most support, with 88.56% calling it very important, and civics and history and science are also deemed important. Respondents differ about whether schools in their communities have grown worse in the last five years, with 28.86% agreeing, 27.71% feeling they are about the same, and 22.05% undecided. Most (67.54%) agree that Nevada schools are underfunded. Other trends are documented, and information is broken down for Clark and Washoe counties and rural Nevada. There are 126 pages of tabulated responses to the 51 survey items. The survey itself prefaces the report. (SLD)

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Good morning/afternoon/evening. This is _____ _____ of Survey Research Systems in Carson City, Nevada, an independent public opinion research organization. We are conducting a public opinion survey to measure attitudes of Nevadans about public schools in Nevada. This survey has been commissioned by the State Department of Education. May I have a few minutes of your time? Thank you.

1. To begin, do you agree or disagree with the following statement, "All students should have a specific job skill before graduating from Nevada high schools"?
   1. strongly agree
   2. somewhat agree
   3. somewhat disagree
   4. strongly disagree
   5. (undecided)
   6. (no opinion)

2. Do you agree or disagree with the statement, "More importance should be given to occupational education in high school"?
   1. strongly agree
   2. somewhat agree
   3. somewhat disagree
   4. strongly disagree
   5. (undecided)
   6. (no opinion)

3. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement, "The school year should be expanded from the current 180 day school year"?
   1. strongly agree
   2. somewhat agree
   3. somewhat disagree
   4. strongly disagree
   5. (undecided)
   6. (no opinion)

4. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement, "More emphasis should be given to helping students with handicaps to obtain jobs and adjust to community living"?
   1. strongly agree
   2. somewhat agree
   3. somewhat disagree
   4. strongly disagree
   5. (undecided)
   6. (no opinion)

5. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement, "Schools should provide day care services so children can be supervised after the traditional school day ends"?
   1. strongly agree
   2. somewhat agree
   3. somewhat disagree
   4. strongly disagree
   5. (undecided)
   6. (no opinion)

6. If you were to choose the subjects offered, how would you rate the following in terms of importance for all students?

MATHEMATICS

1. very important
2. fairly important
3. not too important, or
4. not important at all?
5. (undecided)
6. (no opinion)

7. PHYSICAL EDUCATION

1. very important
2. fairly important
3. not too important, or
4. not important at all?
5. (undecided)
6. (no opinion)

8. FOREIGN LANGUAGE

1. very important
2. fairly important
3. not too important, or
4. not important at all?
5. (undecided)
6. (no opinion)

9. NEVADA GOVERNMENT

1. very important
2. fairly important
3. not too important, or
4. not important at all?
5. (undecided)
6. (no opinion)

10. ENGLISH GRAMMAR & COMPOSITION

1. very important
2. fairly important
3. not too important, or
4. not important at all?
5. (undecided)
6. (no opinion)

11. MUSIC

1. very important
2. fairly important
3. not too important, or
4. not important at all?
5. (undecided)
6. (no opinion)

12. CIVICS & HISTORY

1. very important
2. fairly important
3. not too important, or
4. not important at all?
5. (undecided)
6. (no opinion)

13. ART
    1. very important
    2. fairly important
    3. not too important, or
    4. not important at all?
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

14. SCIENCE
    1. very important
    2. fairly important
    3. not too important, or
    4. not important at all?
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

15. OCCUPATIONAL EDUCATION
    1. very important
    2. fairly important
    3. not too important, or
    4. not important at all?
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

16. COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY
    1. very important
    2. fairly important
    3. not too important, or
    4. not important at all?
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

17. Do you agree or disagree with the statement, "Students in 7th or 8th grade should take a course that introduces them to modern technologies, such as lasers, robotics, and computer technology"?
    1. strongly agree
    2. somewhat agree
    3. somewhat disagree
    4. strongly disagree
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

18. During the last five years, would you say the public schools in your community have
    1. improved,
    2. stayed the same, or
    3. become worse?
    4. (undecided)
    5. (no opinion)

19. Students are often given the grades of "A" for excellent; "B" for above average; "C" for average; "D" for below average and "F" for fail, to denote the quality of their work. Suppose the public schools themselves, in this county, were graded the same way. What grade would you give the public grade schools, grade 1 through 6, here in this county?
    1. A
    2. B
    3. C
    4. D
    5. F
    6. (undecided)
    7. (no opinion)

20. What grade would you give the public junior high or middle schools here in this county?
    1. A
    2. B
    3. C
    4. D
    5. F
    6. (undecided)
    7. (no opinion)

21. What grade would you give the public high school(s) here in this county?
    1. A
    2. B
    3. C
    4. D
    5. F
    6. (undecided)
    7. (no opinion)

22. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement, "Nevada schools (K-12) are underfunded"?
    1. strongly agree
    2. somewhat agree
    3. somewhat disagree
    4. strongly disagree
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

23. In (Clark County/Washoe County/rural Nevada) a starting teacher can earn approximately ($ 19,514 / $19,040 / $21,090), and can then earn up to ($39,027 / $38,915/ $39,246). In (Clark/ Washoe/ rural Nevada) do you feel the teachers' salaries are
    1. too high,
    2. too low, or
    3. just about right?
    4. (undecided)
    5. (no opinion)

24. Would you agree or disagree with the following statement, "State funding of the school lunch program needs to be increased in order to decrease the cost of lunches to students"?
    1. strongly agree
    2. somewhat agree
    3. somewhat disagree
    4. strongly disagree
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

25. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement, "Parents are sufficiently involved with their children's education"?
    1. strongly agree
    2. somewhat agree [Callers: if "agree," skip to Q#27]
    3. somewhat disagree
    4. strongly disagree
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

26. Since you disagree with the previous statement, who do you think has the primary responsibility to see that parents become more involved?
    1. the parents
    2. the schools
    3. (undecided)
    4. (no opinion)
    5. (non sequitor)

27. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement, "School districts should report student achievement, and other educational school indicators for each school, to the general public"?
    1. strongly agree
    2. somewhat agree
    3. somewhat disagree
    4. strongly disagree
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

28. Who do you think has the primary responsibility of reporting to the public on how Nevada schools are performing?
    1. each local district
    2. Nevada State Department of Education
    3. Federal U.S. Department of Education
    4. (undecided)
    5. (no opinion)

29. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement, "At the present time the schools are doing an acceptable job of reporting on their performance to the public"?
    1. strongly agree
    2. somewhat agree
    3. somewhat disagree
    4. strongly disagree
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

30. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement, "Nevada's State Department of Education provides adequate information about our public school system to its citizens"?
    1. strongly agree
    2. somewhat agree
    3. somewhat disagree
    4. strongly disagree
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

31. How would you rate your familiarity with the Nevada Student Proficiency Examination Program?
    1. very familiar
    2. somewhat familiar
    3. somewhat unfamiliar
    4. completely unfamiliar
    5. (undecided)

32. One aspect of the Nevada Student Proficiency Examination requires students in grades 3,6, 9 and 11 to be tested in reading, writing, and math in order to identify the students who might require additional assistance in those subjects. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement, "This aspect of the Nevada Proficiency Examination Program should be continued"?
    1. strongly agree
    2. somewhat agree
    3. somewhat disagree
    4. strongly disagree
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

33. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement, "The Nevada Proficiency Examination Program should be expanded to include testing more often, such as at every grade level"?
    1. strongly agree
    2. somewhat agree
    3. somewhat disagree
    4. strongly disagree
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

34. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement, "The Nevada Proficiency Examination Program should be expanded to include testing on additional subjects, such as science, geography, etc."?
    1. strongly agree
    2. somewhat agree
    3. somewhat disagree
    4. strongly disagree
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

35. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement, "The Nevada Student Proficiency Examination Program should continue to require high school students wishing to qualify for a standard high school diploma to be able to meet certain minimum requirements in reading, writing, and math"?
    1. strongly agree
    2. somewhat agree
    3. somewhat disagree
    4. strongly disagree
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

36. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement, "The Nevada Student Proficiency Examination Program contributes to the quality of public education in Nevada"?
    1. strongly agree
    2. somewhat agree
    3. somewhat disagree
    4. strongly disagree
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

37. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement, "Students need more information to protect themselves from being infected by the AIDS/HIV virus"?
    1. strongly agree
    2. somewhat agree
    3. somewhat disagree
    4. strongly disagree
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

38. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement, "A student who is infected with the HIV virus should be allowed to attend his/her regular public school"?
    1. strongly agree
    2. somewhat agree
    3. somewhat disagree
    4. strongly disagree
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

39. Who, do you think, should be responsible for providing counseling and support groups for students affected by or concerned about the AIDS issue?
    1. parents
    2. schools
    3. city governments
    4. state agencies
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

40. Do you have children or grandchildren enrolled in Nevada schools?
    1. child/children in public school
    2. grandchild/children in public school
    3. child/children in private school
    4. grandchild/children in private school
    5. child/children educated at home
    6. grandchild/children educated at home
    7. no child/grandchild in Nevada school
    8. one child/children in private; other in public school
    9. (refused)

41. How often does your child participate in the school lunch program?
    1. 5 days a week
    2. 3-5 days a week
    3. 1-3 days a week
    4. 0 days a week

42. Do you think the cost of the school lunch is
    1. too high,
    2. too low, or
    3. just about right?
    4. (undecided)
    5. (non sequitor)

43. Would you agree or disagree with the following statement, "The quality of food in the school lunch program is good"?
    1. strongly agree
    2. somewhat agree
    3. somewhat disagree
    4. strongly disagree
    5. (undecided)
    6. (no opinion)

Now for classification purposes...

44. Is your age group
    1. 18-24
    2. 25-40
    3. 41-55
    4. 56+ years of age
    5. (refused)

45. Have you been a resident of Nevada
    1. less than 5 years
    2. 5-10 years
    3. 11+ years
    4. (refused)

46. Is your marital status
    1. single,
    2. married,
    3. divorced, or
    4. widowed?
    5. (refused)

47. Did you attend or graduate from a Nevada high school, or a school in another state?
    1. Nevada high school (skip to Q. 49)
    2. in another state (go to Q. 48)
    3. (refused)

48. In what state did you attend or graduate from high school?
    1. West
    2. Central
    3. Northeast
    4. Southeast
    5. (refused)
    6. (didn't attend high school)
    7. (didn't attend h.s. in USA)
    8. (non sequitor)

    _____
    (CALLERS: write in name of state)

49. Is the highest education level attained in the household a
    1. (less than a high school diploma)
    2. a high school diploma
    3. an associate degree
    4. a bachelor's degree
    5. a master's degree, or
    6. a doctorate?
    7. (refused)

50. Are you
    1. en employer (politely end interview)
    2. an employee supervisor (go to Q. 51)
    3. an employee (go to Q. 51)
    4. unemployed (politely end interview)
    5. a homemaker (politely end interview)
    6. retired (politely end interview)
    7. self-employed (politely end interview)
    8. (refused) (politely end interview)

51. Presently are you an employee of the
    1. private sector, or
    2. the public sector?
    3. (refused)
    4. (non sequitor)

THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME AND OPINION.

52. GENDER
    1. female
    2. male

53. REGION
    1. Clark
    2. Washoe
    3. other

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Survey Research Systems (SRS) of Carson City, Nevada, commissioned by the State Department of Education, conducted a telephone public opinion survey, statewide, of Nevada registered voters.

Survey respondents from each and every county within the state were interviewed by the trained and experienced staff of SRS from Friday, March 2, 1990, through Sunday, March 12, 1990. The telephone interviews were conducted from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon, from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m., as well as from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m., under the direction and observation of the project director. SRS staff includes fluent Spanish speaking interviewers. Their bi-lingual skills were used in collecting data for this project.

From an assumption of .5, fifty percent of the respondents would favor and the remaining fifty percent would oppose any proposition placed before them, and in seeking a confidence level of 98% and a margin of error of ±4, a sample of eight hundred sixty-six (866) completed interviews were required from a universe of 450,000 registered Nevada voters eighteen years of age or older.

The probabilities of a scientifically selected random sample of 866, with replacement, are 98 in 100 that the sampling error is not larger than ±4, and the difference between the results of the sample and the results obtained by surveying the entire population would not exceed ±4. CAVEAT: It is understood that the margin of error for subgroups (i.e., age, sex, region, etc.) is, however, greater than plus or minus four.

Of the statewide sample, 55.88%, that is, four hundred eighty-four, of the interviews were from Clark County; 24.94%, that is, two hundred sixteen, of the interviews were from Washoe County; and 19.16%, that is, one hundred sixty-six, of the interviews came from the balance of the state.

The questionnaire was tentatively finalized prior to the pre-test. Pre-testing interviews were conducted Thursday, February 23, 1990. Revisions were undertaken and the questionnaire was finalized jointly by the State Department of Education and SRS.

SUMMATION OF CENTRAL TENDENCIES

1. Of the respondents, 51.15% agree that all students should have a specific job skill before graduating from Nevada high schools, while 44.67% disagree; 3.46% are undecided, and .69% have no opinion.

   Those whose age group is 18-24 and those 56+ years of age are more strongly in support of the statement, as are those with less than a high school education or with a high school diploma. Additionally, grandparents with children in public schools, the unemployed, and the retired are among those who are supportive of the statement. Respondents who hold master's or doctorates are more strongly opposed.

2. Of the respondents, 76.67% believe more importance should be given to occupational education, while 19.97% disagree; 2.77% are undecided, and .57% have no opinion.

   Grandparents with children in public schools, as a subgroup, are more in support of this statement than others.

3. Of the respondents, 55.41% do not agree with expanding the current 180 day school year, while 37.28% do; 5.54% are undecided, and 1.73% have no opinion.

   "Rural" Nevada, as a subgroup, is less in favor of expanding the school year than other regions. Those holding doctorates are more inclined to agree, as opposed to those who haven't completed high school. Of other subgroups, those who have children in schools, employee supervisors, and homemakers are more inclined to disagree with the statement.

4. Of the respondents, 82.90% agree with the statement that more emphasis should be given to helping students with handicaps to obtain jobs and adjust to community living; 12.69% disagree; 3.00% are undecided, and 1.38% have no opinion.

5. Of the respondents, 52.30% agree that schools should provide day care services for children after the school day ends, while 42.60% do not agree; 3.92% are undecided, and 1.15% have no opinion.

   Women, those aged 18-24, and those who have less than a high school education, tend to support this statement more, while "Rural" Nevada and employers are more against it.

6. Of the respondents, 87.99% say MATHEMATICS is very important for all students; 10.50% say it is fairly important; .80% say it is not too important; .34% say it is not important at all; and .34% are undecided.

   Older age groups indicate it is more important than do the younger; those who attended high school in another state also indicate it is slightly more important than do Nevada high school attendees. Curiously, 77.77% of the "employers" view mathematics as being very important, while 22.22% say it is "fairly important."

7. Of the respondents, 61.08% say PHYSICAL EDUCATION is important, though only 22.86% say it is "very" important; 30.71% say it is not too important, and 7.85% say it is not important at all; .23% are undecided, and .11% have no opinion.

   In general, the younger age groups tend to say physical education is more important than do the older age groups; similarly, the less educated appear to place greater importance on it than do the more educated. Employers and employee supervisors tend to view physical education as less important than employees.

8. Of the respondents, 64.77% say FOREIGN LANGUAGE is important, though only 22.97% say it is "very" important; 25.75% say it is not too important, and 9.00% say it is not important at all; .46% are undecided.

   Only those with doctorates, and grandparents with children in public schools, as subgroups, place somewhat more emphasis on the importance of foreign language compared to other subgroups.

9. Of the respondents, 76.55% say NEVADA GOVERNMENT is important for all students, although only 31.75% say it is "very" important; 19.05% say it is not too important; 4.15% say it is not important at all; .23% are undecided.

   Those in "Rural" Nevada tend to value Nevada Government slightly more (83.72%), as do those who have lived in Nevada 5-10 years. In general, those who have less education think it more important than do those with more education. Grandparents with children in public schools and homemakers also place slightly more importance on Nevada Government compared to other subgroups.

10. Of all the subjects placed before the respondents, ENGLISH GRAMMAR & COMPOSITION receives the most support, with 88.56% saying it is "very" important to all students; 10.04% say it is "fairly" important; less than 1% say it is either not too important or not important at all.

11. Of the respondents, 51.15% say MUSIC is important for all students, although only 7.85% say it is "very" important; 43.30% say it is fairly important; 38.10% say it is not too important; 10.50% say it is not important at all; and .23% are undecided.

    Only 33.32% of the subgroup "employers" say music is important, whereas 58.06% of the "employees" say it is important.

12. Of the respondents, 89.25% say CIVICS & HISTORY are important for all students, although only 49.76% say it is "very" important. 39.49% say it is fairly important; 9.69% say it is not too important; and, .92% say it is not important at all; .11% have no opinion.

13. Of the respondents, 51.26% say ART is important for all students, although it is very important to only 9.12%; for 42.14% it is fairly important; for 39.95% it is not too important; and for 8.54% it is not important at all; .11% are undecided, and .11% have no opinion.

    Those 18-24 years of age are less inclined than others to value the importance of art (57.14% of this subgroup do not think art is important). Employers and those who do not have a high school diploma and those respondents with a doctorate are the ones to place a greater importance on art than other subgroups, by about 10%.

14. Of the respondents, 95.26% say SCIENCE is important for all students; of that number, only 68.82% say it is "very" important; for 26.44% it is fairly important; for 3.81% it is not too important; and for .92% it is not important at all.

15. Of the respondents, 83.93% say OCCUPATIONAL EDUCATION is important for all students, although only 47.45% say it is "very" important; for 36.48% it is fairly important; for 13.27% it is not too important; and for 1.84% it is not important at all; .92% say they are undecided.

    Of the subgroups, those most inclined to see the importance of the subject are those with less than a high school diploma; those most disinclined to see its importance are the ones holding master's and doctorates, employers, employee supervisors and the self-employed.

16. Of the respondents, 94.80% say COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY is important for all students; of that number, 72.17% say it is very important; 22.63% say it is fairly important; 3.69% say it is not too important; and, 1.27% say it is not important at all; .23% are undecided.

Of the subgroups, the employers are slightly less inclined to stress the importance of computer technology, with 83.33% saying it is important and 16.66% saying it is "not too important."

17. Of the respondents, 83.94% agree that 7th and 8th graders should be introduced to modern technologies, such as lasers, robotics, and computers, while 13.74% do not agree; 1.09% are undecided; and, .36% have no opinion.

18. Of the respondents, 28.86% say schools in their community have grown worse during the last five years; 27.71% say they have stayed about the same; and 22.05% say they have improved; 9.58% are undecided, and 11.77% have no opinion.

Those who see more of an improvement include respondents in the 18-24 age group, "Rural" Nevada, those with less than a high school diploma, those with children in public schools, Nevada high school attendees, and the unemployed. Those who see schools as having become worse include respondents with master's and doctorate degrees, homemakers, and the self-employed.

19. GRADES: CLARK COUNTY. Of the respondents, 29.33% give their elementary schools a B grade; 28.30% give them a C; 8.47% give them an A; 7.23%, a D; and 2.89% an F. Of the respondents, 10.12% are undecided and 13.63% have no opinion.

Of Nevada high school attendees, 38.05% would give the elementary schools a C. Those respondents who have either children or grandchildren in public schools, or who have lived in Nevada more than 11 years, give the elementary schools higher marks than other subgroups (giving more A's), as do homemakers and the unemployed.

19. GRADES: WASHOE COUNTY. Of the respondents, 29.16% give their elementary schools a C; 25.92% give them a B; 7.40% give them an A; 6.94%, a D; and 1.38%, an F, with 11.57% undecided and 17.59% having no opinion.

19. GRADES: RURAL. Of the respondents, 35.54% would give their elementary schools a B; 30.12% would give them a C; 10.24% would give an A; 4.21% would give a D; and, 2.40%, an F, while 6.62% are undecided and 10.84% have no opinion.

In both Washoe and Rural, in general respondents who have children in public schools give about 10% more A's whereas grandparents with children in public schools tend to give fewer A's to the schools.

In all three regions (CLARK, WASHOE, RURAL) those respondents who do not have children in Nevada schools give fewer A's. In Washoe and Clark, this subgroup also gives a slightly lower percentage of B's and C's to the schools as well.

20. GRADES: CLARK. Of the respondents in Clark County, 30.78% would give the public junior high or middle schools a C; 23.34% would give the schools a B; 9.50% would give them a D; 3.92% would give them an A; and 2.47% would give them an F; 12.39% are undecided and 17.56% have no opinion.

20. GRADES: WASHOE. Of the respondents, 31.01% in Washoe County would give the junior high or middle schools a C; 18.51% would give a B; 12.03% would give a D; 4.16% would give an A; and, 1185% would give an F, while 13.88% are undecided and 18.51% have no opinion.

Grandparents of children in public schools in Washoe County give noticeably poorer marks to the schools than do other subgroups.

20. GRADES: RURAL. Of the respondents, 35.54% would give the public junior high or middle schools a C; 27.10% would give a B; 6.62% would give a D; 3.61%, an A; and 3.01% an F, while 7.22% are undecided and 16.86% have no opinion.

In both Washoe and Rural regions, about 15% of the respondents who are parents of children in public schools, would give the junior high or middle schools a D or F grade. In Clark the figure is slightly less (about 11.50%).

21. GRADES: CLARK. Of the respondents, 24.17% would give the public high schools in their county a C grade; 20.04% would give them a B; 15.90% would give them a D; 5.16% would give an A; and 4.54% would give an F. Almost one-third of the respondents are either undecided or have no opinion.

21. GRADES: WASHOE. Of the respondents, 24.53% would give the local high schools a C grade; 23.61% would give them a B; 13.42% would give a D; 5.55% an F, and 4.16% an A, with 28.69% either undecided or having no opinion.

21. GRADES: RURAL. In "Rural" Nevada, 30.72% of the respondents would give the local high schools a C; 27.10% would give them a B; 12.04% would give a D; 4.21% would give an A; and 3.01% would give an F, with 22.88% either undecided or having no opinion.

In general, in all three regions, there is a higher percentage of D's and F's (20.44% in Clark; 18.97% in Washoe; 15.05% in Rural) than there is for either junior high or elementary schools.

22. Of the respondents, 67.54% agree that Nevada schools (K-12) are underfunded, while 18.93% disagree and 6.69% are undecided, while 6.81% have no opinion.

Of the three regions, Washoe agrees with the statement the most (75.92% agree) and Rural does the least (57.22% agree).

Among age subgroups, more of the younger groups agree with the statement than do those respondents 56+ years of age.

Of those respondents who have children in public schools, 77.44% agree with the statement, while only 59.59% of those who have grandchildren in public schools agree. Of those who are retired, only 51.67% agree with the statement, compared to "employees" (75.06%) who agree.

23. CLARK: TEACHERS' SALARIES. Of the respondents, 56.19% say salaries are too low; 38.42% say they are about right and 3.51% say they are too high, with 1.44% undecided and .40% having no opinion.

23. WASHOE: TEACHERS' SALARIES. Of the respondents, 60.64% say salaries are too low; 34.25% say they are about right; 2.31% say they are too high, and 2.77% are undecided.

23. RURAL: TEACHERS' SALARIES. Of the respondents, 50.60% say salaries are about right; 40.36% say they are too low; and 3.61% say they are too high, while 3.61% are undecided and 1.80% have no opinion.

In general, the Washoe region feels most strongly about teachers' salaries being too low, while the Rural region feels least strongly.

24. Of the respondents, 47.11% say state funding of the school lunch program needs to be increased, while 35.33% disagree; 8.89% are undecided and 8.66% have no opinion.

Those who agree most with the statement are those 18-24 years of age, those with less than a high school education, and those who are unemployed.

Those most strongly opposed are from the Rural region, respondents who have children in public schools, and employers.

25. Of the respondents, 79.66% disagree that parents are sufficiently involved in their children's education; 16.74% agree with the statement and 2.19% are undecided, while 1.38% have no opinion.

Those who most agree with the statement are the unemployed, those 18-24 years of age, those from the Rural region, and those with less than a high school education.

Those who disagree the most strongly are those with master's and doctorates, employees, and the self-employed.

26. Of the respondents, 63.85% say parents have the primary responsibility for being more involved with their children's education; 12% say the schools bear the primary responsibility; 4.73% are undecided; 2.30% have no opinion; and 17.09% are non sequitor responses.

27. Of the respondents, 75.28% agree that school districts should report student achievement and other educational school indicators to the general public; 18.12% disagree; 4.15% are undecided and 2.42% have no opinion.

28. Of the respondents, 53.81% say the local districts have the primary responsibility of reporting to the public on how Nevada's schools are performing. 34.64% say the Nevada State Department of Education should do the reporting, while 4.73% say it should be the U.S. Department of Education; 4.50% are undecided and 2.30% have no opinion.

29. Slightly over half (53.45%) of the respondents disagree with the statement that presently schools are doing an acceptable job of reporting on their performance to the public, while slightly less than one-third (29.67%) agree with the statement. Of the respondents, 7.96% are undecided and 8.89% have no opinion.

30. In response to whether Nevada's Department of Education provides adequate information about our public school system to its citizens, 54.96% of the respondents disagree; 27.01% agree with the statement; 8.89% are undecided and 9.12% have no opinion.

31. Slightly more than a half of the respondents (55.53%) are unfamiliar with the Nevada Student Proficiency Examination Program, while 43.18% expressed some kind of familiarity; 1.27% are undecided.

32. Of the respondents, 92.48% agree that the Nevada Student Proficiency Examination Program be continued, while 4.84% disagree and 1.15% are undecided, while 1.50% have no opinion.

33. Of the respondents, 68.93% agree that the Nevada Student Proficiency Examination Program should be expanded to include more testing at every grade level, while 25.62% disagree; 3.11% are undecided and 2.30% have no opinion.

    Of the regions, Clark (73.55% agree) most favors this proposition, while Rural Nevada (59.03% agree) gives it least support.

    Only 49.11% of those with a master's degree support this proposal, whereas 78.12% of those with less than a high school diploma do.

34. Of the respondents, 73.09% say they agree with expanding the Nevada Student Proficiency Examination Program to include testing on additional subjects, while 22.62% disagree; 2.07% are undecided and 2.19% have no opinion.

    Most strong in their support are the 18-24 year olds (82.14% agree) and the retired (80.33% agree).

    Less supportive are those in Rural Nevada (69.87% agree), respondents who have children in public schools (65.81% agree), and employers (61.10% agree).

35. Of the respondents, 95.95% agree that the Nevada Student Proficiency Examination Program should continue to require high school students wishing to qualify for a standard high school diploma to be able to meet certain minimum requirements; 1.49% disagree, and .92% are undecided, while 1.61% have no opinion.

36. Of the respondents, 78.51% agree that the Nevada Student Proficiency Examination Program contributes to the quality of public education in Nevada; 12.12% disagree; 6.00% are undecided and 3.34% have no opinion.

    Those who are strongest in their disagreement with this statement are those respondents with a master's degree (24.55% disagree), and those who have children in the public schools (17.81% disagree).

37. Of the respondents, 79.90% agree that students need more information to protect themselves from being infected by the AIDS/HIV virus; 15% disagree; 2.88% are undecided and 2.19% have no opinion.

    The only subgroup at variance with the prevailing percentage of 15% disagree, is the one in which respondents have children in the public schools. 23.26% of this group disagrees with the statement.

38. Of the respondents, 83.70% agree that a student infected with the HIV virus should be allowed to attend his/her regular public school; 7.50% disagree; 7.27% are undecided and 1.50% have no opinion.

    The only respondents to disagree more strongly with the statement are those who have either children or grandchildren in public schools, by 11.63% and 12.12%, respectively.

39. Of the respondents, 52.65% say "all of the above" should be responsible for providing counseling and support groups for students affected by the AIDS issue; 17.55% say parents should be responsible; 12.12% say it should be state agencies; 10.97% say it should be schools; 2.19% are undecided and 1.03% have no opinion.

40. Of the respondents, 54.27% do not have children in Nevada schools; 31.63% have children in the public schools; 11.43% have grandchildren in public schools; .80% have children in private schools; .69% have one child in private and the other(s) in public; .57% have grandchildren in private schools; .34% have grandchildren educated at home; and .23% have children educated at home.

41. Of the respondents, 25.97% have children who participate in the school lunch program; of these, 11.89% say their children have lunch at school 5 days a week; 9.35% say their children have lunch there 1-3 days a week; 4.73% say their children have lunch at school 3-5 days a week. 74.00% say they have no child participating in the lunch program.

    In Rural Nevada, 35.52% of the respondents' children participate in the school lunch program; in Clark it is 26.44% and in Washoe it is 17.58%.

    Of those respondents who have children in public schools, 46.54% do not participate in the school lunch program; 26.54% participate 5 days a week; 18.18% participate 1-3 days a week and 8.72% participate 3-5 days a week.

42. Of the respondents whose children do participate in the school lunch program, 29.79% say the cost is about right; 8.66% say it is too high and .57% say it is too low. 12.12% are undecided. Of the respondents, 48.83% say they do not have children who participate in the school lunch program.

43. When asked if the quality of food in the school lunch program is good, 26.31% of the respondents agree that the food is good; 22.62% disagree; 20.32% are undecided and 30.71% have no opinion.

COMPARISON OF ANCHOR ITEMS

1. In 1986, 55.78% of the respondents said they agreed that "all students should have a specific job skill before graduating from Nevada high schools."

   In 1988, this percentage climbed to 57.30% of those who agreed with the statement.

   In 1990, however, the percentage of those in agreement with the statement has dropped to 51.15%.

2. In 1986, 78.59% of the respondents said they agreed with the statement, "More importance should be given to occupational education in high school."

   In 1988, 76.17% of the respondents agreed with this statement, and in 1990 the percentage of those agreeing was 76.67%.

3. In 1986, 50.46% of the respondents disagreed with the statement, "the school year should be expanded from the current 180 day school year."

   In 1988, 52.71% disagreed; and in 1990, the percentage of respondents who disagreed has risen to 55.41%.

4. In response to the question of whether "more emphasis should be given to helping students with handicaps to obtain jobs and adjust to community living," 84.78% of the respondents in 1988 said they agreed.

   In 1990, 82.90% of the respondents agreed.

   This perception was not measured in the 1986 study.

5. In 1986, 56.61% of the respondents said they agreed that "schools should provide day care services so children can be supervised after the traditional school day ends."

   In 1988, only 47.75% agreed with this statement.

   But in 1990, 52.30% of the respondents say they agree.

6. In 1988, 38.44% of the respondents said they believed during the past five years the public schools in their community has "stayed about the same," whereas in 1990 that percentage has dropped to 27.71%.

   In 1988, 26.53% of the respondents said they believed the schools had improved; in 1990, this figure has dropped to 22.05%.

   In 1988, 16.62% of the respondents said they thought the schools had become worse; in 1990 this figure has risen to 28.86%.

   This perception was not measured in the 1986 survey.

7. GRADES: ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

Clark County

In general, respondents are giving the elementary schools fewer A's and more D's and F's; the percentage of B's and C's has remained fairly constant from 1986 to 1990.

	1986	1988	1990
A	9.20%	11.86%	8.47%
B	30.87%	30.26%	29.33%
C	33.12%	30.67%	28.30%
D	4.08%	5.31%	7.23%
F	2.04%	1.43%	2.89%

Washoe County

In general, A's and B's have decreased; C's and D's have increased and F's have remained fairly constant.

	1986	1988	1990
A	8.12%	8.08%	7.40%
B	32.48%	35.35%	25.92%
C	24.87%	26.76%	29.16%
D	3.55%	3.03%	6.94%
F	1.52%	1.01%	1.38%

Other (Rural) Nevada

There is not as clear a trend in this region as in the others. The percentage of respondents giving the schools an "A" grade has decreased, but the B's, C's, and F's appear to be fairly constant. The percentage of D's has increased, however.

	1986	1988	1990
A	13.75%	19.87%	10.24%
B	32.50%	36.02%	35.54%
C	29.37%	21.11%	30.12%
D	.62%	1.24%	4.21%
F	1.87%	3.10%	2.40%

8. GRADES: JR. HIGH OR MIDDLE SCHOOLS

Clark County

Except for the decrease in A's, the other grades appear to be quite constant from 1986 to 1990. There is a slight increase in D's and a slight decrease in B's.

	1986	1988	1990
A	5.93%	6.33%	3.92%
B	26.17%	23.51%	23.34%
C	32.51%	34.15%	30.78%
D	8.58%	7.97%	9.50%
F	2.86%	2.24%	2.47%

Washoe County

There is a consistent and clear decrease in the percentage of A's and B's, and an increase in C's and D's.

	1986	1988	1990
A	5.07%	4.54%	4.16%
B	30.96%	27.27%	18.51%
C	27.41%	29.29%	31.01%
D	3.04%	5.55%	12.03%
F	1.52%	1.01%	1.85%

Other (Rural) Nevada

The pattern here indicates an upsurge in 1988, with the respondents increasing the number of A's and B's given to the schools, only to have these numbers plunge in 1990 to numbers lower than they were in 1986. C's and D's exhibit the inverse of this pattern and so only the F's remain relatively constant in their increase.

	1986	1988	1990
A	8.75%	9.31%	3.61%
B	28.12%	23.78%	27.10%
C	28.12%	21.73%	35.54%
D	5.62%	4.96%	6.62%
F	.62%	3.72%	3.01%

9. GRADES: HIGH SCHOOLS

Clark County

There has been a gradual slight decrease in the percentage of A's and a slight increase in the percentage of D's.

	1986	1988	1990
A	6.95%	5.31%	5.16%
B	24.94%	20.04%	20.04%
C	29.65%	32.51%	24.17%
D	11.04%	14.31%	15.90%
F	4.90%	3.88%	4.54%

Washoe County

The percentage of D's and F's has clearly increased and there has been a drop in A's and B's from 1986 to 1990.

	1986	1988	1990
A	8.62%	4.04%	4.16%
B	30.45%	28.28%	23.61%
C	24.36%	23.73%	24.53%
D	6.59%	9.09%	13.42%
F	2.53%	2.02%	5.55%

Other (Rural) Nevada

There has been a decrease in the percentage of A's and a clear increase in the percentage of D's.

	1986	1988	1990
A	10.00%	9.31%	4.21%
B	26.25%	31.05%	27.10%
C	30.00%	23.60%	30.72%
D	5.00%	10.55%	12.04%
F	2.50%	2.48%	3.01%

1. Do you agree or disagree with the following: "All students should have a specific job skill before graduating from Nevada high schools"?

		TOTAL n=866	GENDER FEMALE n=433	GENDER MALE n=433	AGE[1] 18-24 n=56	AGE[1] 25-40 n=295	AGE[1] 41-55 n=287	AGE[1] 56+ n=224	REGION CLARK n=484	REGION WASHOE n=216	REGION OTHER n=166
2	st. agree	27.25%	27.71%	26.78%	37.50%	24.40%	27.17%	28.12%	28.51%	25.46%	25.90%
1	sw. agree	23.90%	23.55%	24.24%	28.57%	22.03%	18.11%	33.03%	23.55%	23.14%	25.90%
-1	sw. disagree	24.24%	22.63%	25.86%	21.42%	24.40%	27.17%	20.53%	22.10%	25.92%	28.31%
-2	st. disagree	20.43%	22.40%	18.47%	12.50%	24.40%	24.04%	12.94%	21.69%	20.83%	16.26%
0	(undec.)	3.46%	2.77%	4.15%	**	4.06%	3.13%	4.01%	3.51%	3.70%	3.01%
0	(no opinion)	.69%	.92%	.46%	**	.67%	.34%	1.33%	.61%	.92%	.60%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2] -5 yrs. n=133	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2] 5-10 yrs. n=188	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2] 11+ yrs. n=535	HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3] -h.s. n=32	h.s. n=340	A.A. n=119	B.A/S. n=230	M.A/S. n=114	Doctorate n=30
st. agree	29.32%	29.25%	26.35%	34.37%	30.88%	24.36%	27.39%	21.05%	13.33%
sw. agree	20.30%	21.27%	25.79%	40.62%	26.17%	24.36%	22.60%	18.42%	10.00%
sw. disagree	27.81%	21.80%	24.48%	12.50%	21.76%	30.25%	25.21%	23.68%	33.33%
st. disagree	18.04%	23.93%	19.25%	9.37%	16.47%	18.48%	19.13%	34.21%	43.33%
(undec.)	4.51%	2.65%	3.55%	3.12%	3.52%	2.52%	5.21%	1.75%	**
(no opinion)	**	1.06%	.56%	**	1.17%	**	.43%	.87%	**

[1] .46% refused to identify
[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = .13	$\bar{x}$ = .40	$\bar{x}$ = .32
s = 1.54	s = 1.49	s = 1.54

1. Do you agree or disagree with the following: "All students should have a specific job skill before graduating from Nevada high schools"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch.	gr.ch. pub. sch.	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch.	Nv. h.s.	Another state h.s.
	n=275	n=99	n=469	n=271	n=586
st. agree	24.72%	33.33%	27.07%	26.93%	27.64%
sw. agree	20.72%	31.31%	24.30%	22.14%	24.57%
sw. disagree	26.54%	23.23%	23.88%	24.72%	23.89%
st. disagree	23.27%	8.08%	20.89%	22.87%	19.45%
(undec.)	4.00%	4.04%	2.98%	2.95%	3.58%
(no opinion)	.72%	**	.85%	.36%	.85%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=18	n=132	n=353	n=37	n=79	n=178	n=67
st. agree	5.55%	26.51%	29.17%	29.72%	24.05%	30.89%	16.41%
sw. agree	27.77%	16.66%	23.22%	24.32%	22.78%	32.02%	20.89%
sw. disagree	22.22%	30.30%	23.79%	29.72%	21.51%	19.66%	26.86%
st. disagree	33.33%	24.24%	20.11%	16.21%	27.84%	10.67%	31.34%
(undec.)	11.11%	1.51%	3.39%	**	2.53%	5.05%	4.47%
(no opinion)	**	.75%	.28%	**	1.26%	1.68%	**

[4] responses include:
- child/children in private school .80%
- grandchild/children in private school .57%
- child/children educated at home .23%
- grandchild/children educated at home .34%
- one child in private; other in public school .69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

2. Do you agree or disagree with the following: "More importance should be given to occupational education in high school"?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	st. agree	43.07%	47.80%	38.33%	35.71%	41.06%	41.46%	50.00%	44.83%	42.59%	38.55%
1	sw. agree	33.60%	31.40%	35.79%	46.42%	33.22%	35.54%	28.57%	31.40%	37.03%	35.54%
-1	sw. disagree	11.66%	10.62%	12.70%	8.92%	14.23%	12.19%	8.03%	11.36%	10.64%	13.85%
-2	st. disagree	8.31%	6.92%	9.69%	8.92%	9.15%	8.01%	7.14%	9.29%	6.01%	8.43%
0	(undec.)	2.77%	2.77%	2.77%	**	2.03%	2.78%	4.46%	2.27%	3.70%	3.01%
0	(no opinion)	.57%	.46%	.69%	**	.33%	**	1.78%	.82%	**	.60%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	42.10%	45.21%	42.42%	53.12%	46.47%	39.49%	39.13%	44.73%	33.33%
sw. agree	36.84%	28.19%	34.39%	37.50%	35.29%	32.77%	35.21%	28.07%	20.00%
sw. disagree	12.78%	11.17%	11.77%	3.12%	9.70%	15.96%	13.04%	13.15%	10.00%
st. disagree	6.76%	11.17%	7.85%	**	5.29%	6.72%	10.43%	10.52%	33.33%
(undec.)	1.50%	2.65%	3.17%	6.25%	2.64%	3.36%	1.73%	3.50%	3.33%
(no opinion)	**	1.59%	.37%	**	.58%	1.68%	.43%	**	**

[1] .46% refused to identify
[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = .91	$\bar{x}$ = .96	$\bar{x}$ = 1.11
s = 1.29	s = 1.25	s = 1.27

2. Do you agree or disagree with the following: "More importance should be given to occupational education in high school"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
st. agree	40.72%	56.56%	41.79%	42.80%	43.00%
sw. agree	33.09%	29.29%	34.96%	31.73%	34.47%
sw. disagree	14.90%	6.06%	10.66%	12.17%	11.60%
st. disagree	10.18%	4.04%	8.10%	10.33%	7.50%
(undec.)	1.09%	4.04%	3.41%	2.58%	2.73%
(no opinion)	**	**	1.06%	.36%	.68%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
st. agree	38.88%	42.42%	45.04%	40.54%	43.03%	48.31%	23.88%
sw. agree	27.77%	31.06%	32.86%	45.94%	34.17%	30.33%	44.77%
sw. disagree	5.55%	15.90%	13.03%	8.10%	13.92%	6.17%	11.94%
st. disagree	27.77%	7.57%	7.93%	5.40%	6.32%	7.86%	11.94%
(undec.)	**	2.27%	.84%	**	2.53%	5.61%	7.46%
(no opinion)	**	.75%	.28%	**	**	1.68%	**

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

3. Do you agree or disagree with the following: "The school year should be expanded from the current 180 day school year"?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	st. agree	24.01%	22.63%	25.40%	12.50%	18.64%	27.17%	30.35%	25.20%	25.00%	19.27%
1	sw. agree	13.27%	11.54%	15.01%	16.07%	11.52%	14.28%	12.94%	12.39%	17.59%	10.24%
-1	sw. disagree	21.70%	21.70%	21.70%	28.57%	23.38%	20.55%	19.19%	18.59%	26.38%	24.69%
-2	st. disagree	33.71%	37.41%	30.02%	39.28%	40.67%	32.40%	25.00%	37.60%	21.75%	37.95%
0	(undec.)	5.54%	5.31%	5.77%	3.57%	4.74%	3.83%	9.37%	4.33%	7.87%	6.02%
0	(no opinion)	1.73%	1.38%	2.07%	**	1.01%	1.74%	3.12%	1.85%	1.38%	1.80%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	21.80%	25.53%	24.48%	18.75%	22.94%	18.48%	26.08%	30.70%	23.33%
sw. agree	19.54%	10.63%	12.71%	9.37%	13.52%	15.12%	11.30%	12.28%	23.33%
sw. disagree	24.06%	21.27%	21.30%	31.25%	19.41%	24.36%	26.52%	15.78%	13.33%
st. disagree	29.32%	34.04%	34.01%	34.37%	36.76%	34.45%	29.13%	36.84%	20.00%
(undec.)	4.51%	6.91%	5.42%	6.25%	5.00%	5.04%	6.52%	3.50%	13.33%
(no opinion)	.75%	1.59%	2.05%	**	2.35%	2.52%	.43%	.87%	6.66%

[1] .46% refused to identify
[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = -.28	$\bar{x}$ = -.24	$\bar{x}$ = -.15
s = 1.61	s = 1.57	s = 1.60

3. Do you agree or disagree with the following: "The school year should be expanded from the current 180 day school year"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
st. agree	18.18%	17.17%	28.78%	19.92%	25.76%
sw. agree	12.72%	18.18%	13.21%	9.59%	15.01%
sw. disagree	25.45%	18.18%	20.25%	21.03%	22.18%
st. disagree	39.63%	37.37%	28.57%	41.69%	30.03%
(undec.)	3.63%	5.05%	7.03%	6.27%	5.11%
(no opinion)	.36%	4.04%	2.13%	1.47%	1.87%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
st. agree	27.77%	18.93%	23.51%	18.91%	18.98%	30.33%	28.35%
sw. agree	16.66%	14.39%	14.16%	13.51%	5.06%	12.92%	14.92%
sw. disagree	11.11%	28.03%	21.81%	18.91%	31.64%	19.10%	8.95%
st. disagree	38.88%	31.06%	34.84%	40.54%	40.50%	25.84%	40.29%
(undec.)	5.55%	6.06%	4.24%	8.10%	2.53%	8.98%	4.47%
(no opinion)	**	1.51%	1.41%	**	1.26%	2.80%	2.98%

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

4. Do you agree or disagree with the following: "More emphasis should be given to helping students with handicaps to obtain jobs and adjust to community living"?

			GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
		TOTAL	FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	st. agree	59.81%	59.58%	60.04%	75.00%	60.67%	55.05%	62.05%	64.04%	56.48%	51.80%
1	sw. agree	23.09%	22.17%	24.01%	19.64%	22.03%	23.69%	24.10%	19.00%	27.77%	28.91%
-1	sw. disagree	8.77%	10.16%	7.39%	3.57%	8.13%	11.49%	7.14%	8.05%	9.25%	10.24%
-2	st. disagree	3.92%	3.46%	4.38%	**	5.76%	3.48%	2.67%	4.33%	2.77%	4.21%
0	(undec.)	3.00%	2.77%	3.23%	1.78%	2.71%	3.83%	2.67%	3.30%	2.31%	3.01%
0	(no opinion)	1.38%	1.84%	.92%	**	.67%	2.43%	1.33%	1.23%	1.38%	1.80%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	65.41%	61.17%	58.13%	62.50%	68.82%	47.05%	60.00%	50.00%	43.33%
sw. agree	20.30%	20.74%	24.67%	34.37%	17.94%	31.09%	22.60%	25.43%	30.00%
sw. disagree	7.51%	8.51%	8.78%	**	7.64%	9.24%	9.56%	11.40%	13.33%
st. disagree	5.26%	2.65%	4.11%	**	2.35%	2.52%	4.34%	9.64%	6.66%
(undec.)	1.50%	3.72%	3.17%	3.12%	2.05%	6.72%	2.60%	1.75%	6.66%
(no opinion)	**	3.19%	1.12%	**	1.17%	3.36%	.86%	1.75%	**

[1] .46% refused to identify
[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 1.26	$\bar{x}$ = 1.28	not asked
s = 1.13	s = 1.07	

4. Do you agree or disagree with the following: "More emphasis should be given to helping students with handicaps to obtain jobs and adjust to community living"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
st. agree	57.45%	61.61%	60.76%	58.67%	60.23%
sw. agree	24.00%	21.21%	22.81%	25.09%	22.18%
sw. disagree	8.00%	8.08%	9.16%	7.74%	9.21%
st. disagree	5.81%	6.06%	2.55%	5.16%	3.41%
(undec.)	3.27%	2.02%	3.19%	2.95%	3.07%
(no opinion)	1.45%	1.01%	1.49%	.36%	1.87%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
st. agree	55.55%	53.78%	62.60%	67.56%	50.63%	61.79%	59.70%
sw. agree	16.66%	25.00%	20.11%	27.02%	27.84%	24.15%	25.37%
sw. disagree	11.11%	10.60%	9.34%	5.40%	10.12%	6.74%	7.46%
st. disagree	5.55%	3.03%	4.53%	**	7.59%	3.37%	1.49%
(undec.)	5.55%	3.78%	2.26%	**	2.53%	3.37%	5.97%
(no opinion)	5.55%	3.78%	1.13%	**	1.26%	.56%	**

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

5. Do you agree or disagree with the following: "Schools should provide day care services so children can be supervised after the traditional school day ends"?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	st. agree	31.06%	36.95%	25.17%	41.07%	39.32%	23.34%	27.67%	35.95%	30.55%	17.46%
1	sw. agree	21.24%	21.70%	20.78%	28.57%	19.66%	20.90%	21.87%	21.48%	22.68%	18.67%
-1	sw. disagree	9.93%	9.23%	10.62%	7.14%	11.86%	10.45%	7.58%	5.57%	14.35%	16.86%
-2	st. disagree	32.67%	27.94%	37.41%	21.42%	27.45%	38.67%	34.37%	32.23%	26.85%	41.56%
0	(undec.)	3.92%	3.23%	4.61%	1.78%	1.35%	5.22%	6.25%	3.71%	4.62%	3.61%
0	(no opinion)	1.15%	.92%	1.38%	**	.33%	1.39%	2.23%	1.03%	.92%	1.80%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	32.33%	30.31%	31.02%	34.37%	36.17%	24.36%	28.69%	23.68%	40.00%
sw. agree	27.06%	19.14%	20.56%	31.25%	21.47%	23.52%	19.56%	21.05%	13.33%
sw. disagree	9.02%	7.44%	11.21%	6.25%	6.47%	10.92%	14.78%	11.40%	6.66%
st. disagree	24.81%	38.29%	32.33%	21.87%	29.11%	35.29%	33.91%	39.47%	40.00%
(undec.)	4.51%	3.19%	4.11%	3.12%	5.58%	2.52%	2.60%	4.38%	**
(no opinion)	2.25%	1.59%	.74%	3.12%	1.17%	3.36%	.43%	**	**

[1] .46% refused to identify
[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify
** = less than one percent

'90
$\bar{x}$ = .08
s = 1.69

5. Do you agree or disagree with the following: "Schools should provide day care services so children can be supervised after the traditional school day ends"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
st. agree	32.36%	29.29%	29.85%	30.25%	31.39%
sw. agree	18.90%	25.25%	21.96%	19.18%	22.18%
sw. disagree	11.27%	9.09%	9.59%	11.80%	9.21%
st. disagree	34.18%	27.27%	33.26%	36.90%	30.71%
(undec.)	3.27%	6.06%	3.83%	1.47%	4.94%
(no opinion)	**	3.03%	1.49%	.36%	1.53%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
st. agree	16.66%	26.51%	35.41%	40.54%	26.58%	27.52%	29.85%
sw. agree	22.22%	17.42%	20.39%	24.32%	24.05%	23.03%	23.88%
sw. disagree	**	12.87%	9.91%	13.51%	12.65%	6.17%	11.94%
st. disagree	55.55%	37.12%	30.31%	18.91%	34.17%	33.70%	34.32%
(undec.)	5.55%	5.30%	3.11%	2.70%	2.53%	6.17%	**
(no opinion)	**	.75%	.84%	**	**	3.37%	**

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

6. How would you rate the importance of MATHEMATICS for all students?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	v. important	87.99%	86.83%	89.14%	76.78%	87.11%	89.19%	90.17%	89.25%	86.57%	86.14%
1	f. important	10.50%	11.77%	9.23%	17.85%	12.20%	9.75%	7.58%	9.50%	11.11%	12.65%
-1	n. too import.	.80%	.46%	1.15%	3.57%	.33%	.34%	1.33%	.82%	1.38%	**
-2	not import.	.34%	.46%	.23%	**	.33%	.69%	**	.20%	.92%	**
0	(undec.)	.34%	.46%	.23%	1.78%	**	**	.89%	.20%	**	1.20%
0	(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
v. important	90.97%	92.02%	85.79%	87.50%	87.94%	84.03%	90.43%	87.71%	86.66%
f. important	6.76%	6.91%	12.71%	9.37%	10.29%	13.44%	8.26%	12.28%	13.33%
n. too import.	1.50%	1.06%	.56%	**	.88%	1.68%	.86%	**	**
not import.	.75%	**	.37%	3.12%	.58%	**	**	**	**
(undec.)	**	**	.56%	**	.29%	.84%	.43%	**	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

1 .46% refused to identify
2 1.15% refused to identify
3 .11% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 1.85	$\bar{x}$ = 1.85	$\bar{x}$ = 1.88
s = .47	s = .41	s = .40

6. How would you rate the importance of MATHEMATICS for all students?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
v. important	89.81%	89.89%	85.92%	83.39%	90.10%
f. important	9.45%	9.09%	11.94%	15.12%	8.36%
n. too import.	**	1.01%	1.27%	.73%	.85%
not import.	.72%	**	.21%	**	.51%
(undec.)	**	**	.63%	.73%	.17%
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
v. important	77.77%	84.84%	88.66%	83.78%	89.87%	88.20%	92.53%
f. important	22.22%	14.39%	10.48%	10.81%	8.86%	8.98%	5.97%
n. too import.	**	**	.84%	2.70%	**	1.68%	**
not import.	**	**	**	2.70%	1.26%	**	1.49%
(undec.)	**	.75%	**	**	**	1.12%	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

7. How would you rate the importance of PHYSICAL EDUCATION for all students?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	v. important	22.86%	25.17%	20.55%	25.00%	27.79%	19.51%	19.64%	23.76%	21.29%	22.28%
1	f. important	38.22%	38.10%	38.33%	41.07%	45.08%	33.44%	35.26%	35.53%	37.96%	46.38%
-1	n. too import.	30.71%	29.56%	31.87%	28.57%	23.72%	39.37%	29.46%	30.99%	34.25%	25.30%
-2	not import.	7.85%	6.69%	9.00%	5.35%	3.05%	7.66%	14.73%	9.29%	6.01%	6.02%
0	(undec.)	.23%	.23%	.23%	**	.33%	**	.44%	.20%	.46%	**
0	(no opinion)	.11%	.23%	**	**	**	**	.44%	.20%	**	**

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
v. important	18.04%	25.53%	22.99%	28.12%	23.23%	25.21%	20.00%	24.56%	16.66%
f. important	39.09%	38.82%	37.75%	43.75%	37.94%	41.17%	38.26%	35.08%	36.66%
n. too import.	30.82%	30.31%	30.84%	18.75%	29.70%	25.21%	35.21%	33.33%	33.33%
not import.	11.27%	5.31%	8.03%	6.25%	8.82%	8.40%	6.08%	7.01%	13.33%
(undec.)	.75%	**	.18%	3.12%	.29%	**	.43%	**	**
(no opinion)	**	**	.18%	**	**	**	**	**	**

1 .46% refused to identify
2 1.15% refused to identify
3 .11% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = .38	$\bar{x}$ = .82	$\bar{x}$ = .79
s = 1.33	s = 1.14	s = 1.17

7. How would you rate the importance of PHYSICAL EDUCATION for all students?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
v. important	25.81%	20.20%	21.53%	24.35%	22.18%
f. important	42.90%	36.36%	36.46%	39.48%	37.71%
n. too import.	29.09%	29.29%	31.76%	30.62%	30.88%
not import.	2.18%	13.13%	9.80%	5.16%	9.04%
(undec.)	**	**	.42%	.36%	**
(no opinion)	**	1.01%	**	**	.17%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
v. important	**	16.66%	23.79%	35.13%	31.64%	22.47%	19.40%
f. important	55.55%	41.66%	41.07%	32.43%	37.97%	31.46%	34.32%
n. too import.	33.33%	34.84%	31.16%	21.62%	25.31%	28.08%	38.80%
not import.	11.11%	6.81%	3.96%	10.81%	5.06%	17.41%	5.97%
(undec.)	**	**	**	**	**	.56%	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	1.49%

[4] responses include:
- child/children in private school .80%
- grandchild/children in private school .57%
- child/children educated at home .23%
- grandchild/children educated at home .34%
- one child in private; other in public school .69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

8. How would you rate the importance of FOREIGN LANGUAGE for all students?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	v. important	22.97%	26.09%	19.86%	25.00%	22.03%	21.95%	25.44%	21.69%	24.53%	24.69%
1	f. important	41.80%	40.41%	43.18%	35.71%	42.37%	39.37%	45.08%	43.80%	37.50%	41.56%
-1	n. too import.	25.75%	23.55%	27.94%	26.78%	27.11%	28.57%	20.08%	23.76%	28.24%	28.31%
-2	not import.	9.00%	9.23%	8.77%	12.50%	8.13%	9.05%	9.37%	10.33%	9.72%	4.21%
0	(undec.)	.46%	.69%	.23%	**	.33%	1.04%	**	.41%	**	1.20%
0	(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
v. important	19.54%	23.93%	23.36%	34.37%	22.05%	19.32%	24.78%	24.56%	16.66%
f. important	42.85%	41.48%	42.05%	21.87%	42.05%	38.65%	42.60%	43.85%	56.66%
n. too import.	31.57%	25.00%	24.11%	15.62%	24.70%	32.77%	25.21%	26.31%	23.33%
not import.	6.01%	9.04%	9.90%	21.87%	10.88%	8.40%	7.39%	5.26%	3.33%
(undec.)	**	.53%	.56%	6.25%	.29%	.84%	**	**	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

1 .46% refused to identify
2 1.15% refused to identify
3 .11% refused to identify
** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = .44	$\bar{x}$ = .77	$\bar{x}$ = .69
s = 1.33	s = 1.17	s = 1.24

8. How would you rate the importance of FOREIGN LANGUAGE for all students?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
v. important	20.00%	30.30%	23.24%	21.03%	23.54%
f. important	40.00%	42.42%	43.28%	39.48%	43.17%
n. too import.	32.00%	18.18%	23.66%	28.41%	24.74%
not import.	7.63%	9.09%	9.38%	10.33%	8.19%
(undec.)	.36%	**	.42%	.73%	.34%
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
v. important	11.11%	17.42%	22.66%	18.91%	26.58%	26.96%	25.37%
f. important	55.55%	40.90%	42.49%	37.83%	39.24%	42.13%	40.29%
n. too import.	16.66%	28.78%	29.74%	27.02%	22.78%	18.53%	23.88%
not import.	16.66%	12.87%	4.81%	13.51%	10.12%	12.35%	8.95%
(undec.)	**	**	.28%	2.70%	1.26%	**	1.49%
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

9. How would you rate the importance of NEVADA GOVERNMENT for all students?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	v. important	31.75%	36.25%	27.25%	23.21%	31.18%	27.87%	39.73%	33.05%	29.16%	31.32%
1	f. important	44.80%	44.57%	45.03%	57.14%	45.08%	44.25%	41.96%	41.11%	47.22%	52.40%
-1	n. too import.	19.05%	15.47%	22.63%	17.85%	19.66%	22.29%	14.28%	20.45%	20.37%	13.25%
-2	not import.	4.15%	3.23%	5.08%	1.78%	4.06%	5.57%	3.12%	4.95%	3.24%	3.01%
0	(undec.)	.23%	.46%	**	**	**	**	.89%	.41%	**	**
0	(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
v. important	30.07%	30.85%	32.52%	37.50%	32.35%	33.61%	30.86%	31.57%	20.00%
f. important	41.35%	51.59%	42.99%	46.87%	47.94%	37.81%	46.52%	41.22%	33.33%
n. too import.	19.54%	14.89%	20.56%	6.25%	18.23%	21.84%	17.82%	20.17%	36.66%
not import.	9.02%	2.65%	3.55%	6.25%	1.47%	6.72%	4.34%	7.01%	10.00%
(undec.)	**	**	.37%	3.12%	**	**	.43%	**	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

1 .46% refused to identify
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'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = .81	$\bar{x}$ = 1.12	$\bar{x}$ = 1.12
s = 1.19	s = 1.04	s = 1.10

9. How would you rate the importance of NEVADA GOVERNMENT for all students?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch.	gr.ch. pub. sch.	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch.	Nv. h.s.	Another state h.s.
	n=275	n=99	n=469	n=271	n=586
v. important	30.18%	40.40%	31.13%	32.84%	31.22%
f. important	45.81%	42.42%	44.77%	43.91%	45.22%
n. too import.	20.72%	14.14%	18.97%	19.92%	18.77%
not import.	3.27%	3.03%	4.69%	3.32%	4.60%
(undec.)	**	**	.42%	**	.17%
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=18	n=132	n=353	n=37	n=79	n=178	n=67
v. important	33.33%	30.30%	30.59%	21.62%	34.17%	36.51%	31.34%
f. important	38.88%	37.12%	47.02%	45.94%	49.36%	43.82%	44.77%
n. too import.	16.66%	27.27%	18.98%	27.02%	13.92%	15.16%	16.41%
not import.	11.11%	5.30%	3.39%	5.40%	2.53%	3.37%	7.46%
(undec.)	**	**	**	**	**	1.12%	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

[4] responses include:
- child/children in private school .80%
- grandchild/children in private school .57%
- child/children educated at home .23%
- grandchild/children educated at home .34%
- one child in private; other in public school .69%

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10. How would you rate the importance of ENGLISH GRAMMAR & COMPOSITION for all students?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	v. important	88.56%	92.14%	84.98%	87.50%	87.79%	89.89%	87.94%	89.87%	89.81%	83.13%
1	f. important	10.04%	6.69%	13.39%	8.92%	10.84%	9.05%	10.71%	9.09%	8.79%	14.45%
-1	n. too import.	.92%	.92%	.92%	1.78%	.67%	.69%	1.33%	1.03%	**	1.80%
-2	not import.	.46%	.23%	.69%	1.78%	.67%	.34%	**	**	1.38%	.60%
0	(undec.)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
0	(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
v. important	89.47%	89.36%	87.85%	90.62%	86.76%	84.87%	90.00%	92.10%	96.66%
f. important	10.52%	9.57%	10.28%	6.25%	11.76%	12.60%	8.69%	7.89%	3.33%
n. too import.	**	1.06%	1.12%	3.12%	.88%	.84%	1.30%	**	**
not import.	**	**	.74%	**	.58%	1.68%	**	**	**
(undec.)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

[1] .46% refused to identify
[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify

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'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 1.85	$\bar{x}$ = 1.88	$\bar{x}$ = 1.90
s = .49	s = .46	s = .44

10. How would you rate the importance of ENGLISH GRAMMAR & COMPOSITION for all students?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
v. important	87.63%	92.92%	88.48%	87.45%	89.24%
f. important	11.63%	7.07%	9.38%	11.07%	9.55%
n. too import.	.36%	**	1.49%	.73%	.85%
not import.	.36%	**	.63%	.73%	.34%
(undec.)	**	**	**	**	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
v. important	88.88%	87.87%	88.95%	86.48%	92.40%	86.51%	89.55%
f. important	5.55%	11.36%	9.63%	13.51%	6.32%	12.35%	7.46%
n. too import.	**	.75%	.84%	**	1.26%	1.12%	1.49%
not import.	5.55%	**	.56%	**	**	**	1.49%
(undec.)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**		**

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
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one child in private; other in public school	.69%

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11. How would you rate the importance of MUSIC for all students?

		GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
	TOTAL n=866	FEMALE n=433	MALE n=433	18-24 n=56	25-40 n=295	41-55 n=287	56+ n=224	CLARK n=484	WASHOE n=216	OTHER n=166
2 v. important	7.85%	9.93%	5.77%	5.35%	8.81%	6.96%	8.48%	6.61%	8.79%	10.24%
1 f. important	43.30%	48.96%	37.64%	37.50%	46.10%	42.85%	41.07%	43.59%	38.88%	48.19%
-1 n. too import.	38.10%	32.79%	43.41%	33.92%	37.28%	37.63%	41.51%	38.22%	41.66%	33.13%
-2 not import.	10.50%	8.08%	12.93%	23.21%	7.45%	12.19%	8.92%	11.36%	10.18%	8.43%
0 (undec.)	.23%	.23%	.23%	**	.33%	.34%	**	.20%	.46%	**
0 (no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs. n=133	5-10 yrs. n=188	11+ yrs. n=535	-h.s. n=32	h.s. n=340	A.A. n=119	B.A/S. n=230	M.A/S. n=114	Doctorate n=30
v. important	6.01%	10.63%	7.47%	9.37%	9.11%	8.40%	6.08%	7.89%	3.33%
f. important	44.36%	44.14%	42.24%	46.87%	42.64%	42.01%	41.30%	45.61%	56.66%
n. too import.	38.34%	35.63%	39.06%	25.00%	37.05%	36.13%	44.34%	35.08%	36.66%
not import.	9.77%	9.57%	11.21%	18.75%	11.17%	12.60%	7.82%	11.40%	3.33%
(undec.)	1.50%	**	**	**	**	.84%	.43%	**	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

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'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = -.0015	$\bar{x}$ = .49	$\bar{x}$ = .42
s = 1.24	s = 1.15	s = 1.16

11. How would you rate the importance of MUSIC for all students?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
v. important	8.00%	5.05%	8.31%	7.74%	8.02%
f. important	48.00%	50.50%	39.44%	40.59%	44.53%
n. too import.	37.09%	32.32%	39.87%	39.11%	37.37%
not import.	6.90%	12.12%	11.94%	12.54%	9.72%
(undec.)	**	**	.42%	**	.34%
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
v. important	5.55%	6.81%	8.49%	8.10%	8.86%	7.86%	5.97%
f. important	27.77%	38.63%	49.57%	29.72%	46.83%	41.57%	31.34%
n. too import.	44.44%	37.87%	34.56%	43.24%	37.97%	40.44%	46.26%
not import.	22.22%	16.66%	7.08%	18.91%	6.32%	10.11%	14.92%
(undec.)	**	**	.28%	**	**	**	1.49%
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

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12. How would you rate the importance of CIVICS & HISTORY for all students?

		GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
	TOTAL	FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
	n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2 v. important	49.76%	52.65%	46.88%	53.57%	43.72%	52.26%	54.01%	51.23%	45.83%	50.60%
1 f. important	39.49%	37.87%	41.10%	33.92%	45.08%	35.54%	37.94%	37.60%	43.98%	39.15%
-1 n. too import.	9.69%	8.08%	11.31%	12.50%	10.16%	10.45%	7.58%	9.91%	9.25%	9.63%
-2 not import.	.92%	1.38%	.46%	**	1.01%	1.39%	.44%	1.23%	.92%	**
0 (undec.)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
0 (no opinion)	.11%	**	.23%	**	**	.34%	**	**	**	.60%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
v. important	46.61%	51.59%	49.90%	59.37%	50.88%	49.57%	46.95%	51.75%	43.33%
f. important	46.61%	39.36%	37.94%	28.12%	36.17%	40.33%	42.17%	42.98%	50.00%
n. too import.	4.51%	9.04%	11.02%	6.25%	11.76%	8.40%	10.43%	5.26%	6.66%
not import.	1.50%	**	1.12%	6.25%	.88%	1.68%	.43%	**	**
(undec.)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
(no opinion)	.75%	**	**	**	.29%	**	**	**	**

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2 1.15% refused to identify
3 .11% refused to identify
** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 1.27	$\bar{x}$ = 1.52	$\bar{x}$ = 1.45
s = .95	s = .77	s = .80

12. How would you rate the importance of CIVICS & HISTORY for all students?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
v. important	46.54%	56.56%	49.89%	44.64%	52.04%
f. important	41.45%	36.36%	39.65%	43.91%	37.88%
n. too import.	10.90%	6.06%	9.38%	11.07%	8.87%
not import.	1.09%	1.01%	.85%	.36%	1.02%
(undec.)	**	**	**	**	**
(no opinion)	**	**	.21%	**	.17%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
v. important	44.44%	47.72%	50.14%	40.54%	56.96%	54.49%	37.31%
f. important	44.44%	37.12%	41.64%	45.94%	30.37%	36.51%	46.26%
n. too import.	11.11%	13.63%	7.93%	13.51%	10.12%	7.86%	13.43%
not import.	**	1.51%	.28%	**	2.53%	.56%	2.98%
(undec.)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	.56%	**

[4] responses include:
- child/children in private school .80%
- grandchild/children in private school .57%
- child/children educated at home .23%
- grandchild/children educated at home .34%
- one child in private; other in public school .69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

13. How would you rate the importance of ART for all students?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	v. important	9.12%	9.69%	8.54%	7.14%	12.54%	8.71%	5.80%	7.64%	10.64%	11.44%
1	f. important	42.14%	45.72%	38.56%	35.71%	42.37%	42.50%	42.41%	41.11%	41.20%	46.38%
-1	n. too import.	39.95%	37.18%	42.72%	41.07%	38.30%	40.41%	41.96%	40.28%	41.20%	37.34%
-2	not import.	8.54%	7.15%	9.93%	16.07%	6.44%	8.01%	9.82%	10.74%	6.94%	4.21%
0	(undec.)	.11%	.23%	**	**	.33%	**	**	.20%	**	**
0	(no opinion)	.11%	**	.23%	**	**	.34%	**	**	**	.60%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
v. important	8.27%	9.04%	9.53%	15.62%	10.29%	6.72%	6.08%	12.28%	10.00%
f. important	38.34%	45.21%	41.86%	50.00%	42.05%	42.85%	40.86%	39.47%	50.00%
n. too import.	39.84%	40.42%	39.62%	21.87%	38.23%	38.65%	46.95%	39.47%	33.33%
not import.	12.03%	5.31%	8.97%	12.50%	9.11%	10.92%	6.08%	8.77%	6.66%
(undec.)	.75%	**	**	**	**	.84%	**	**	**
(no opinion)	.75%	**	**	**	.29%	**	**	**	**

1 .46% refused to identify
2 1.15% refused to identify
3 .11% refused to identify
** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = .03	$\bar{x}$ = .41	$\bar{x}$ = .36
s = 1.24	s = 1.16	s = 1.15

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13. How would you rate the importance of ART for all students?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
v. important	9.81%	7.07%	8.95%	10.33%	8.53%
f. important	44.72%	45.45%	41.15%	39.48%	43.00%
n. too import.	39.63%	40.40%	39.65%	42.43%	39.24%
not import.	5.81%	7.07%	9.80%	7.74%	8.87%
(undec.)	**	**	.21%	**	.17%
(no opinion)	**	**	.21%	**	.17%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
v. important	5.55%	8.33%	11.04%	8.10%	8.86%	6.74%	8.95%
f. important	55.55%	40.90%	42.20%	37.83%	44.30%	44.38%	32.83%
n. too import.	22.22%	43.93%	39.37%	37.83%	40.50%	37.64%	47.76%
not import.	16.66%	6.81%	7.08%	16.21%	6.32%	10.67%	10.44%
(undec.)	**	**	.28%	**	**	**	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	.56%	**

[4] responses include:
- child/children in private school .80%
- grandchild/children in private school .57%
- child/children educated at home .23%
- grandchild/children educated at home .34%
- one child in private; other in public school .69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

14. How would you rate the importance of SCIENCE for all students?

		TOTAL n=866	GENDER FEMALE n=433	GENDER MALE n=433	AGE[1] 18-24 n=56	AGE[1] 25-40 n=295	AGE[1] 41-55 n=287	AGE[1] 56+ n=224	REGION CLARK n=484	REGION WASHOE n=216	REGION OTHER n=166
2	v. important	68.82%	70.43%	67.20%	71.42%	68.81%	68.64%	67.85%	69.62%	64.35%	72.28%
1	f. important	26.44%	24.24%	28.63%	25.00%	26.44%	26.48%	27.23%	25.41%	29.16%	25.90%
-1	n. too import.	3.81%	3.92%	3.69%	3.57%	4.06%	3.48%	4.01%	3.71%	5.55%	1.80%
-2	not import.	.92%	1.38%	.46%	**	.67%	1.39%	.89%	1.23%	.92%	**
0	(undec.)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
0	(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2] -5 yrs. n=133	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2] 5-10 yrs. n=188	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2] 11+ yrs. n=535	HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3] -h.s. n=32	HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3] h.s. n=340	HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3] A.A. n=119	HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3] B.A/S. n=230	HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3] M.A/S. n=114	HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3] Doctorate n=30
v. important	67.66%	69.68%	68.97%	78.12%	65.88%	63.86%	71.30%	71.92%	80.00%
f. important	27.06%	25.53%	26.35%	12.50%	27.35%	31.93%	25.21%	26.31%	20.00%
n. too import.	4.51%	3.72%	3.73%	3.12%	5.58%	4.20%	2.60%	1.75%	**
not import.	.75%	1.06%	.93%	6.25%	1.17%	**	.86%	**	**
(undec.)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

[1] .46% refused to identify
[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify
** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 1.58	$\bar{x}$ = 1.60	$\bar{x}$ = 1.61
s = .76	s = .72	s = .71

14. How would you rate the importance of SCIENCE for all students?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
v. important	67.27%	68.68%	69.08%	71.58%	67.57%
f. important	28.72%	22.22%	26.86%	25.46%	26.96%
n. too import.	2.90%	9.09%	3.19%	2.95%	4.26%
not import.	1.09%	**	.85%	**	1.19%
(undec.)	**	**	**	**	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
v. important	55.55%	70.45%	71.67%	64.86%	70.88%	67.41%	56.71%
f. important	44.44%	25.75%	24.07%	29.72%	21.51%	27.52%	37.31%
n. too import.	**	2.27%	4.24%	5.40%	5.06%	3.93%	2.98%
not import.	**	1.51%	**	**	2.53%	1.12%	2.98%
(undec.)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

15. How would you rate the importance of OCCUPATIONAL EDUCATION for all students?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	v. important	47.45%	49.65%	45.26%	42.85%	48.47%	41.11%	54.91%	46.48%	48.61%	48.79%
1	f. important	36.48%	35.10%	37.87%	46.42%	37.28%	39.72%	29.01%	35.74%	36.57%	38.55%
-1	n. too import.	13.27%	12.47%	14.08%	8.92%	11.52%	16.02%	13.39%	15.08%	11.57%	10.24%
-2	not import.	1.84%	1.38%	2.30%	1.78%	1.69%	2.09%	1.78%	1.65%	2.77%	1.20%
0	(undec.)	.92%	1.38%	.46%	**	1.01%	1.04%	.89%	1.03%	.46%	1.20%
0	(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
v. important	49.62%	53.19%	45.23%	56.25%	55.58%	43.69%	43.91%	39.47%	16.66%
f. important	34.58%	31.91%	38.31%	37.50%	32.35%	41.17%	39.56%	33.33%	53.33%
n. too import.	14.28%	13.82%	12.71%	3.12%	8.82%	11.76%	13.91%	27.19%	23.33%
not import.	1.50%	.53%	2.42%	**	2.05%	3.36%	1.30%	**	6.66%
(undec.)	**	.53%	1.30%	3.12%	1.17%	**	1.30%	**	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

1 .46% refused to identify
2 1.15% refused to identify
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** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 1.14	$\bar{x}$ = 1.37	$\bar{x}$ = 1.40
s = 1.08	s = .87	s = .90

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15. How would you rate the importance of OCCUPATIONAL EDUCATION for all students?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch.	gr.ch. pub. sch.	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch.	Nv. h.s.	Another state h.s.
	n=275	n=99	n=469	n=271	n=586
v. important	42.54%	53.53%	48.82%	45.75%	47.95%
f. important	40.36%	29.29%	36.03%	39.11%	35.49%
n. too import.	16.00%	14.14%	11.94%	12.17%	13.99%
not import.	1.09%	1.01%	2.13%	2.21%	1.70%
(undec.)	**	2.02%	1.06%	.73%	.85%
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=18	n=132	n=353	n=37	n=79	n=178	n=67
v. important	33.33%	40.90%	48.72%	43.24%	49.36%	54.49%	38.80%
f. important	38.88%	41.66%	36.82%	45.94%	35.44%	30.33%	35.82%
n. too import.	27.77%	15.15%	12.46%	10.81%	10.12%	11.79%	19.40%
not import.	**	2.27%	1.13%	**	1.26%	2.24%	5.97%
(undec.)	**	**	.84%	**	3.79%	1.12%	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

16. How would you rate the importance of COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY for all students?

		GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
	TOTAL n=866	FEMALE n=433	MALE n=433	18-24 n=56	25-40 n=295	41-55 n=287	56+ n=224	CLARK n=484	WASHOE n=216	OTHER n=166
v. important	72.17%	75.75%	68.59%	76.78%	73.89%	73.51%	67.41%	69.42%	73.61%	78.31%
f. important	22.63%	20.55%	24.71%	19.64%	23.38%	20.90%	24.10%	24.58%	19.90%	20.48%
-1 n. too import.	3.69%	2.07%	5.31%	3.57%	1.69%	4.52%	5.35%	4.13%	4.62%	1.20%
-2 not import.	1.27%	1.15%	1.38%	**	1.01%	1.04%	2.23%	1.44%	1.85%	**
0 (undec.)	.23%	.46%	**	**	**	**	.89%	.41%	**	**
0 (no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs. n=133	5-10 yrs. n=188	11+ yrs. n=535	-h.s. n=32	h.s. n=340	A.A. n=119	B.A/S. n=230	M.A/S. n=114	Doctorate n=30
v. important	69.92%	72.34%	72.71%	75.00%	75.00%	76.47%	70.86%	66.66%	53.33%
f. important	23.30%	25.00%	21.49%	18.75%	19.11%	21.84%	23.47%	28.94%	36.66%
n. too import.	3.00%	1.59%	4.67%	3.12%	4.11%	1.68%	3.91%	3.50%	6.66%
not import.	3.00%	1.06%	.93%	**	1.47%	**	1.73%	.87%	3.33%
(undec.)	.75%	**	.18%	3.12%	.29%	**	**	**	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

1 .46% refused to identify
2 1.15% refused to identify
3 .11% refused to identify
** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 1.61	$\bar{x}$ = 1.63	$\bar{x}$ = 1.60
s = .79	s = .71	s = .74

16. How would you rate the importance of COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY for all students?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
v. important	72.36%	76.76%	70.78%	77.12%	70.13%
f. important	24.36%	16.16%	23.02%	19.18%	23.89%
n. too import.	2.90%	5.05%	4.05%	2.95%	4.09%
not import.	.36%	1.01%	1.91%	.73%	1.53%
(undec.)	**	1.01%	.21%	**	.34%
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
v. important	61.11%	71.21%	74.22%	75.67%	83.54%	65.16%	71.64%
f. important	22.22%	25.00%	22.94%	18.91%	13.92%	26.40%	17.91%
n. too import.	16.66%	2.27%	2.54%	5.40%	2.53%	4.49%	7.46%
not import.	**	1.51%	.28%	**	**	2.80%	2.98%
(undec.)	**	**	**	**	**	1.12%	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

17. Do you agree or disagree with: "Students in 7th or 8th grade should take a course that introduces them to modern technologies, such as lasers, robotics, and computer technology"?

		GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
	TOTAL	FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
	n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
1 st. agree	59.35%	63.04%	55.65%	66.07%	64.06%	61.67%	48.66%	65.28%	56.94%	45.18%
1 sw. agree	24.59%	24.94%	24.24%	23.21%	22.37%	24.39%	28.12%	19.00%	29.62%	34.33%
-1 sw. disagree	8.66%	7.15%	10.16%	8.92%	7.79%	7.31%	11.60%	7.23%	8.33%	13.25%
-2 st. disagree	5.08%	3.00%	7.15%	1.78%	4.40%	4.18%	7.58%	5.99%	3.24%	4.81%
0 (undec.)	1.61%	1.61%	1.61%	**	1.35%	1.39%	2.67%	1.65%	1.38%	1.80%
0 (no opinion)	.69%	.23%	1.15%	**	**	1.04%	1.33%	.82%	.46%	.60%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	56.39%	61.17%	60.00%	68.75%	58.23%	61.34%	61.30%	54.38%	60.00%
sw. agree	27.06%	20.21%	25.23%	9.37%	26.76%	25.21%	24.78%	21.05%	23.33%
sw. disagree	6.01%	10.10%	8.78%	12.50%	7.94%	8.40%	8.26%	9.64%	13.33%
st. disagree	6.01%	6.91%	4.11%	9.37%	5.00%	4.20%	3.47%	11.40%	3.33%
(undec.)	3.00%	1.59%	1.12%	**	.88%	.84%	2.17%	1.75%	**
(no opinion)	1.50%	**	.74%	**	1.17%	**	**	1.75%	**

[1] .46% refused to identify
[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify
** = less than one percent

'90
$\bar{x}$ = 1.24
s = 1.17

17. Do you agree or disagree with: "Students in 7th or 8th grade should take a course that introduces them to modern technologies, such as lasers, robotics[4] and computer technology"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
st. agree	59.27%	50.50%	60.98%	62.73%	58.36%
sw. agree	25.81%	24.24%	24.30%	23.61%	24.91%
sw. disagree	8.36%	12.12%	7.88%	7.01%	9.21%
st. disagree	5.09%	7.07%	4.69%	4.42%	5.46%
(undec.)	1.09%	4.04%	1.49%	1.84%	1.19%
(no opinion)	.36%	2.02%	.63%	.36%	.85%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
st. agree	55.55%	61.36%	65.15%	51.35%	58.22%	48.31%	62.68%
sw. agree	22.22%	18.93%	20.39%	29.72%	25.31%	33.14%	31.34%
sw. disagree	11.11%	12.87%	7.08%	10.81%	8.86%	8.98%	4.47%
st. disagree	5.55%	5.30%	5.94%	2.70%	5.06%	5.61%	**
(undec.)	**	1.51%	.84%	2.70%	2.53%	3.37%	**
(no opinion)	5.55%	**	.56%	2.70%	**	.56%	1.49%

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

18. During the last five years, would you say the public schools in your community have

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
1	improved	22.05%	19.39%	24.71%	33.92%	23.72%	19.86%	20.08%	21.48%	18.05%	28.91%
0	stayed same	27.71%	27.94%	27.48%	25.00%	28.81%	28.57%	25.89%	26.65%	25.92%	33.13%
-1	become worse	28.86%	31.17%	26.55%	26.78%	27.79%	33.79%	23.66%	28.71%	33.33%	23.49%
	(undec.)	9.58%	9.93%	9.23%	5.35%	9.15%	8.71%	12.50%	9.71%	10.64%	7.83%
	(no opinion)	11.77%	11.54%	12.00%	8.92%	10.49%	9.05%	17.85%	13.42%	12.03%	6.62%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
improved	15.03%	25.00%	22.61%	43.75%	19.11%	21.00%	19.56%	30.70%	23.33%
stayed same	16.54%	24.46%	31.58%	12.50%	30.88%	26.05%	28.69%	22.80%	23.33%
become worse	26.31%	28.72%	29.53%	25.00%	26.76%	30.25%	26.95%	36.84%	36.66%
(undec.)	16.54%	10.63%	7.66%	12.50%	12.05%	7.56%	9.13%	3.50%	13.33%
(no opinion)	25.56%	11.17%	8.59%	6.25%	11.17%	15.12%	15.65%	6.14%	3.33%

1 .46% refused to identify
2 1.15% refused to identify
3 .11% refused to identify

'90 Clark	'90 Washoe	'90 Other	'88 Clark	'88 Washoe	'88 Other
$\bar{x}$ = -.09	$\bar{x}$ = -.20	$\bar{x}$ = .06	$\bar{x}$ = .05	$\bar{x}$ = .15	$\bar{x}$ = .30
s = .80	s = .79	s = .78	s = .72	s = .70	s = .68

'86
not asked

18. During the last five years, would you say the public schools in your community have

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
improved	28.00%	25.25%	18.33%	28.41%	19.28%
stayed same	31.27%	31.31%	24.94%	32.10%	25.25%
became worse	32.00%	31.31%	26.22%	26.19%	30.37%
(undec.)	5.09%	7.07%	12.36%	7.38%	10.40%
(no opinion)	3.63%	5.05%	18.11%	5.90%	14.67%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
improved	11.11%	23.48%	22.94%	32.43%	20.25%	18.53%	23.88%
stayed same	44.44%	34.84%	28.04%	35.13%	21.51%	23.59%	20.89%
became worse	33.33%	29.54%	28.04%	13.51%	35.44%	27.52%	34.32%
(undec.)	**	6.06%	8.49%	10.81%	7.59%	15.16%	11.94%
(no opinion)	11.11%	6.06%	12.46%	8.10%	15.18%	15.16%	8.95%

[4]responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

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19. What grade would you give the public grade schools, grade 1 through 6, here in CLARK county?

		CLARK TOTAL n=484	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[1] -5yrs. n=90	5-10 yrs. n=114	11+ yrs. n=279	H.S. ATTENDANCE[2] Nv. h.s. n=113	Another state h.s. n=366
4	A	8.47%	4.44%	5.26%	11.11%	7.96%	8.74%
3	B	29.33%	27.77%	28.94%	29.74%	33.62%	27.59%
2	C	28.30%	17.77%	27.19%	32.25%	38.05%	25.40%
1	D	7.23%	5.55%	7.89%	7.52%	6.19%	7.65%
0	F	2.89%	2.22%	5.26%	2.15%	1.76%	3.27%
	(undec.)	10.12%	23.33%	8.77%	6.45%	4.42%	11.74%
	(no opinion)	13.63%	18.88%	16.66%	10.75%	7.96%	15.57%

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[3] child pub. sch. n=137	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=63	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=268
A	13.13%	12.69%	5.59%
B	37.95%	26.98%	26.49%
C	31.38%	28.57%	26.49%
D	8.75%	4.76%	6.71%
F	3.64%	6.34%	1.11%
(undec.)	4.37%	9.52%	13.43%
(no opinion)	.72%	11.11%	20.14%

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 2.44	$\bar{x}$ = 2.58	$\bar{x}$ = 2.52
s = .94	s = .89	s = .86

[1] .02% refused to identify
[2] .10% refused to identify
[3] responses include:
.14% child in private school
.08% grandchild in private school
.02% child educated at home
.08% one in private; one in public school

19. What grade would you give the public grade schools, grade 1 through 6, here in CLARK county?

	EMPLOYMENT[4]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=9	n=65	n=214	n=19	n=39	n=105	n=32
A	11.11%	7.69%	7.47%	15.78%	17.94%	6.66%	6.25%
B	22.22%	35.38%	29.90%	42.10%	25.64%	23.80%	28.12%
C	44.44%	32.30%	28.50%	15.78%	30.76%	21.90%	40.62%
D	**	6.15%	10.28%	**	7.69%	4.76%	3.12%
F	**	**	4.20%	**	**	3.80%	3.12%
(undec.)	**	12.30%	5.60%	10.52%	7.69%	20.00%	9.37%
(no opinion)	22.22%	6.15%	14.01%	15.78%	10.25%	19.04%	9.37%

[4] .02% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

19. What grade would you give the public grade schools, grade 1 through 6, here in WASHOE county?

		WASHOE TOTAL	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[1]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[2]	
			-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	Nv. h.s.	Another state h.s.
		n=216	n=27	n=36	n=148	n=86	n=127
4	A	7.40%	3.70%	5.55%	8.78%	6.97%	7.87%
3	B	25.92%	25.92%	22.22%	27.02%	31.39%	22.04%
2	C	29.16%	14.81%	22.22%	33.10%	37.20%	24.40%
1	D	6.94%	3.70%	11.11%	6.75%	5.81%	7.87%
0	F	1.38%	**	**	2.02%	1.16%	.78%
	(undec.)	11.57%	18.51%	13.88%	10.13%	6.97%	14.17%
	(no opinion)	17.59%	33.33%	25.00%	12.16%	10.46%	22.83%

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[3]		
	child pub. sch.	gr.ch. pub. sch.	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch.
	n=68	n=12	n=133
A	13.23%	**	5.26%
B	32.35%	33.33%	22.55%
C	33.82%	41.66%	25.56%
D	8.82%	**	6.01%
F	1.47%	8.33%	.75%
(undec.)	4.41%	16.66%	14.28%
(no opinion)	5.88%	**	25.56%

** = less than one percent

[1] 2.31% refused to identify
[2] 1.38% refused to identify
[3] .46% = grandchild educated at home
.92% = 1 child in private school; one in public

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 2.44	$\bar{x}$ = 2.63	$\bar{x}$ = 2.60
s = .88	s = .78	s = .84

19. What grade would you give the public grade schools, grade 1 through 6, here in WASHOE county?

	EMPLOYMENT [4]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=5	n=44	n=72	n=12	n=23	n=40	n=19
A	**	13.63%	6.94%	8.33%	8.69%	2.50%	5.26%
B	60.00%	22.72%	29.16%	41.66%	26.08%	22.50%	10.52%
C	20.00%	31.81%	27.77%	25.00%	21.73%	22.50%	57.89%
D	**	6.81%	6.94%	**	8.69%	7.50%	5.26%
F	**	2.27%	1.38%	**	**	2.50%	**
(undec.)	**	**	15.27%	8.33%	13.04%	20.00%	10.52%
(no opinion)	20.00%	22.72%	12.50%	16.66%	21.73%	22.50%	10.52%

[4] .46% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

19. What grade would you give the public grade schools, grade 1 through 6, here in this county? OTHER (RURAL)

		OTHER TOTAL	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[1]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[2]	
			-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	Nv. h.s.	Another state h.s.
		n=166	n=16	n=38	n=108	n=72	n=93
1	A	10.24%	**	15.78%	10.18%	11.11%	9.67%
3	B	35.54%	50.00%	28.94%	36.11%	36.11%	34.40%
2	C	30.12%	18.75%	26.31%	32.40%	36.11%	25.80%
1	D	4.21%	**	2.63%	4.62%	4.16%	4.30%
0	F	2.40%	6.25%	2.63%	1.85%	1.38%	3.22%
	(undec.)	6.62%	6.25%	10.52%	5.55%	5.55%	7.52%
	(no opinion)	10.84%	18.75%	13.15%	9.25%	5.55%	15.05%

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[3]		
	child pub. sch.	gr.ch. pub. sch.	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch.
	n=70	n=24	n=68
A	20.00%	8.33%	1.47%
B	34.28%	29.16%	36.76%
C	27.14%	45.83%	29.41%
D	8.57%	4.16%	**
F	4.28%	**	1.47%
(undec.)	2.85%	4.16%	11.76%
(no opinion)	2.85%	8.33%	19.11%

** = less than one percent

[1] 2.40% refused to identify

[2] .60% refused to identify

[3] .60% = grandchild in private school
.60% = child educated at home
1.20% = grandchild educated at home

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 2.57	$\bar{x}$ = 2.84	$\bar{x}$ = 2.71
s = .88	s = .94	s = .85

19. What grade would you give the public grade schools, grade 1 through 6, here in this county? OTHER (RURAL)

	EMPLOYMENT						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=4	n=23	n=67	n=6	n=17	n=33	n=16
A	25.00%	**	14.92%	**	11.76%	3.03%	18.75%
B	25.00%	43.47%	31.34%	66.66%	35.29%	27.27%	50.00%
C	25.00%	39.13%	37.31%	16.66%	17.64%	24.24%	18.75%
D	25.00%	4.34%	5.97%	**	5.88%	**	**
F	**	4.34%	1.49%	**	11.76%	**	**
(undec.)	**	4.34%	2.98%	**	5.88%	18.18%	6.25%
(no opinion)	**	4.34%	5.97%	16.66%	11.76%	27.27%	6.25%

** = less than one percent

20. What grade would you give the public junior high or middle schools here in CLARK county?

		CLARK TOTAL n=484	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[1] -5yrs. n=90	5-10 yrs. n=114	11+ yrs. n=279	H.S. ATTENDANCE[2] Nv. h.s. n=113	Another state h.s. n=366
4	A	3.92%	**	2.63%	5.73%	4.42%	3.55%
3	B	23.34%	17.77%	22.80%	25.08%	30.97%	21.03%
2	C	30.78%	22.22%	29.82%	34.05%	38.93%	28.14%
1	D	9.50%	7.77%	8.77%	10.39%	8.84%	9.83%
0	F	2.47%	2.22%	3.50%	2.15%	.88%	3.00%
	(undec.)	12.39%	28.88%	9.64%	8.24%	4.42%	14.75%
	(no opinion)	17.56%	21.11%	22.80%	14.33%	11.50%	19.67%

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[3] child pub. sch. n=137	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=63	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=268
A	6.56%	1.58%	3.35%
B	29.19%	22.22%	20.89%
C	28.46%	28.57%	32.83%
D	10.94%	7.93%	8.95%
F	.72%	6.34%	1.49%
(undec.)	10.94%	12.69%	13.43%
(no opinion)	13.13%	20.63%	19.02%

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 2.24	$\bar{x}$ = 2.58	$\bar{x}$ = 2.52
s = .88	s = .89	s = .86

1 .02% refused to identify
2 .10% refused to identify
3 responses include:
.14% child in private school
.08% grandchild in private school
.02% child educated at home
.08% one in private; one in public school

20. What grade would you give the public junior high or middle schools here in CLARK county?

	EMPLOYMENT[4]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=9	n=65	n=214	n=19	n=39	n=105	n=32
A	**	1.53%	3.73%	**	7.69%	4.76%	6.25%
B	11.11%	29.23%	24.76%	47.36%	15.38%	14.28%	28.12%
C	66.66%	36.92%	30.37%	21.05%	28.20%	29.52%	25.00%
D	**	10.76%	13.08%	**	5.12%	4.76%	12.50%
F	**	**	2.80%	**	**	4.76%	3.12%
(undec.)	**	15.38%	8.41%	10.52%	10.25%	20.95%	12.50%
(no opinion)	22.22%	6.15%	16.82%	21.05%	33.33%	20.95%	12.50%

[4] .02% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

20. What grade would you give the public junior high or middle schools here in WASHOE county?

		WASHOE TOTAL	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[1]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[2]	
			-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	Nv. h.s.	Another state h.s.
		n=216	n=27	n=36	n=148	n=86	n=127
1	A	4.16%	**	5.55%	4.72%	3.48%	4.72%
3	B	18.51%	11.11%	25.00%	18.91%	26.74%	12.59%
2	C	31.01%	22.22%	22.22%	34.45%	33.72%	29.92%
1	D	12.03%	11.11%	11.11%	12.16%	12.79%	11.02%
0	F	1.85%	**	**	2.70%	1.16%	2.36%
	(undec.)	13.88%	22.22%	13.88%	12.83%	10.46%	15.74%
	(no opinion)	18.51%	33.33%	22.22%	14.18%	11.62%	23.62%

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[3]		
	child pub. sch.	gr.ch. pub. sch.	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch.
	n=68	n=12	n=133
A	7.35%	**	3.00%
B	27.94%	**	15.78%
C	30.88%	66.66%	27.81%
D	13.23%	8.33%	12.03%
F	2.94%	8.33%	.75%
(undec.)	7.35%	16.66%	15.78%
(no opinion)	10.29%	**	24.81%

** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 2.16	$\bar{x}$ = 2.43	$\bar{x}$ = 2.51
s = .88	s = .80	s = .79

1 2.31% refused to identify
2 1.38% refused to identify
3 .46% = grandchild educated at home
.92% = 1 child in private school; one in public

20. What grade would you give the public junior high or middle schools here in WASHOE county?

	EMPLOYMENT[4]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=5	n=44	n=72	n=12	n=23	n=40	n=19
A	**	**	4.16%	8.33%	**	5.00%	15.78%
B	80.00%	20.45%	20.83%	16.66%	26.08%	7.50%	5.26%
C	**	29.54%	31.94%	50.00%	21.73%	32.50%	36.84%
D	**	13.63%	15.27%	**	13.04%	10.00%	5.26%
F	**	4.54%	**	**	4.34%	2.50%	**
(undec.)	**	6.81%	13.88%	8.33%	13.04%	20.00%	26.31%
(no opinion)	20.00%	25.00%	13.88%	16.66%	21.73%	22.50%	10.52%

[4] .46% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

20. What grade would you give the public junior high or middle schools here in this county? OTHER (RURAL)

		OTHER TOTAL n=166	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[1] -5 yrs. n=16	5-10 yrs. n=38	11+ yrs. n=108	H.S. ATTENDANCE[2] Nv. h.s. n=72	Another state h.s. n=93
4	A	3.61%	**	2.63%	4.62%	4.16%	3.22%
3	B	27.10%	43.75%	18.42%	27.77%	29.16%	24.73%
2	C	35.54%	18.75%	28.94%	40.74%	38.88%	33.33%
1	D	6.62%	**	10.52%	5.55%	6.94%	6.45%
0	F	3.01%	**	2.63%	2.77%	2.77%	3.22%
	(undec.)	7.22%	6.25%	7.89%	7.40%	8.33%	6.45%
	(no opinion)	16.86%	31.25%	28.94%	11.11%	9.72%	22.58%

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[3] child pub. sch. n=70	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=24	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=68
A	4.28%	4.16%	2.94%
B	28.57%	20.83%	26.47%
C	32.85%	58.33%	30.88%
D	10.00%	**	5.88%
F	5.71%	**	1.47%
(undec.)	2.85%	8.33%	11.76%
(no opinion)	15.71%	8.33%	20.58%

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 2.29	$\bar{x}$ = 2.55	$\bar{x}$ = 2.54
s = .84	s = .96	s = .84

1 2.40% refused to identify
2 .60% refused to identify
3 .60% = grandchild in private school
.60% = child educated at home
1.20% = grandchild educated at home

** = less than one percent

20. What grade would you give the public junior high or middle schools here in this county? OTHER (RURAL)

	EMPLOYMENT						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=4	n=23	n=67	n=6	n=17	n=33	n=16
A	**	**	4.47%	**	**	3.03%	12.50%
B	50.00%	39.13%	22.38%	50.00%	29.41%	15.15%	37.50%
C	25.00%	39.13%	44.77%	33.33%	23.52%	30.30%	18.75%
D	**	8.69%	11.94%	**	**	3.03%	**
F	**	4.34%	2.98%	**	11.76%	**	**
(undec.)	**	4.34%	2.98%	**	5.88%	21.21%	6.25%
(no opinion)	25.00%	4.34%	10.44%	16.66%	29.41%	27.27%	25.00%

** = less than one percent

21. What grade would you give the public high school(s) here in CLARK county?

		CLARK TOTAL n=484	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[1] -5yrs. n=90	5-10 yrs. n=114	11+ yrs. n=279	H.S. ATTENDANCE[2] Nv. h.s. n=113	Another state h.s. n=366
4	A	5.16%	2.22%	5.26%	6.09%	8.84%	4.09%
3	B	20.04%	14.44%	18.42%	22.22%	26.54%	17.75%
2	C	24.17%	17.77%	26.31%	25.44%	27.43%	23.22%
1	D	15.90%	12.22%	13.15%	18.27%	13.27%	16.93%
0	F	4.54%	3.33%	5.26%	4.65%	7.07%	3.82%
	(undec.)	12.60%	28.88%	10.52%	8.24%	4.42%	15.02%
	(no opinion)	17.56%	21.11%	21.05%	15.05%	12.38%	19.12%

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[3] child pub. sch. n=137	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=63	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=268
A	10.21%	4.76%	2.98%
B	17.51%	19.04%	21.64%
C	21.16%	31.74%	23.13%
D	16.78%	9.52%	16.79%
F	4.37%	7.93%	3.73%
(undec.)	11.67%	12.69%	13.43%
(no opinion)	18.24%	14.28%	18.28%

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 2.08	$\bar{x}$ = 2.11	$\bar{x}$ = 2.23
s = 1.03	s = .96	s = 1.01

1 .02% refused to identify
2 .10% refused to identify
3 responses include:
.14% child in private school
.08% grandchild in private school
.02% child educated at home
.08% one in private; one in public school

21. What grade would you give the public high school(s) here in CLARK county?

	EMPLOYMENT[4]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=9	n=65	n=214	n=19	n=39	n=105	n=32
A	11.11%	4.61%	3.27%	15.78%	7.69%	3.80%	12.50%
B	11.11%	23.07%	21.49%	31.57%	17.94%	16.19%	15.62%
C	55.55%	21.53%	21.49%	26.31%	28.20%	26.66%	25.00%
D	11.11%	16.92%	21.02%	5.26%	10.25%	9.52%	15.62%
F	**	4.61%	5.14%	5.26%	2.56%	4.76%	6.25%
(undec.)	**	20.00%	9.34%	15.78%	7.69%	20.00%	9.37%
(no opinion)	11.11%	9.23%	18.22%		25.64%	19.04%	15.62%

[4] .02% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

21. What grade would you give the public high school(s) here in WASHOE county?

		WASHOE TOTAL	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[1]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[2]	
			-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	Nv. h.s.	Another state h.s.
		n=216	n=27	n=36	n=148	n=86	n=127
4	A	4.16%	**	**	6.08%	4.65%	3.93%
3	B	23.61%	7.40%	41.66%	22.97%	31.39%	18.11%
2	C	24.53%	25.92%	8.33%	28.37%	32.55%	19.68%
1	D	13.42%	14.81%	8.33%	13.51%	9.30%	16.53%
0	F	5.55%	**	5.55%	6.75%	4.65%	5.51%
	(undec.)	11.57%	18.51%	16.66%	9.45%	8.13%	13.38%
	(no opinion)	17.12%	33.33%	19.44%	12.83%	9.30%	22.83%

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[3]		
	child pub. sch.	gr.ch. pub. sch.	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch.
	n=68	n=12	n=133
A	5.88%	**	3.75%
B	35.29%	**	20.30%
C	23.52%	33.33%	24.06%
D	13.23%	33.33%	12.03%
F	5.88%	16.66%	4.51%
(undec.)	5.88%	16.66%	12.78%
(no opinion)	10.29%	**	22.55%

** = less than one percent

[1] 2.31% refused to identify
[2] 1.38% refused to identify
[3] .46% = grandchild educated at home
.92% = 1 child in private school; one in public

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 2.10	$\bar{x}$ = 2.35	$\bar{x}$ = 2.50
s = 1.03	s = .89	s = .94

21. What grade would you give the public high school(s) here in WASHOE county?

	EMPLOYMENT[4]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=5	n=44	n=72	n=12	n=23	n=40	n=19
A	**	4.54%	4.16%	8.33%	4.34%	2.50%	5.26%
B	60.00%	31.81%	25.00%	41.66%	17.39%	7.50%	21.05%
C	20.00%	13.63%	30.55%	16.66%	34.78%	20.00%	31.57%
D	**	13.63%	12.50%	8.33%	4.34%	20.00%	15.78%
F	**	6.81%	5.55%	8.33%	8.69%	5.00%	**
(undec.)	**	4.54%	9.72%	8.33%	8.69%	22.50%	21.05%
(no opinion)	20.00%	25.00%	12.50%	8.33%	21.73%	22.50%	5.26%

[4] .46% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

21. What grade would you give the public high school(s) here in this county? OTHER (RURAL)

			LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[1]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[2]	
		OTHER TOTAL	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	Nv. h.s.	Another state h.s.
		n=166	n=16	n=38	n=108	n=72	n=93
4	A	4.21%	6.25%	**	5.55%	8.33%	1.07%
3	B	27.10%	31.25%	15.78%	31.48%	27.77%	25.80%
2	C	30.72%	12.50%	31.57%	32.40%	36.11%	26.88%
1	D	12.04%	**	15.78%	12.03%	9.72%	13.97%
0	F	3.01%	**	2.63%	2.77%	2.77%	3.22%
	(undec.)	7.22%	12.50%	7.89%	6.48%	6.94%	7.52%
	(no opinion)	15.66%	37.50%	26.31%	9.25%	8.33%	21.50%

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[3]		
	child pub. sch.	gr.ch. pub. sch.	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch.
	n=70	n=24	n=68
A	5.71%	8.33%	1.47%
B	25.71%	25.00%	29.41%
C	28.57%	33.33%	30.88%
D	17.14%	16.66%	5.88%
F	5.71%	**	1.47%
(undec.)	2.85%	8.33%	11.76%
(no opinion)	14.28%	8.33%	19.11%

** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 2.23	$\bar{x}$ = 2.44	$\bar{x}$ = 2.49
s = .91	s = .98	s = .93

1 2.40% refused to identify
2 .60% refused to identify
3 .60% = grandchild in private school
.60% = child educated at home
1.20% = grandchild educated at home

21. What grade would you give the public high school(s) here in this county? OTHER (RURAL)

	EMPLOYMENT						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=4	n=23	n=67	n=6	n=17	n=33	n=16
A	**	4.34%	5.97%	16.66%	**	3.03%	**
B	25.00%	34.78%	25.37%	33.33%	23.52%	18.18%	43.75%
C	75.00%	30.43%	35.82%	16.66%	23.52%	21.21%	31.25%
D	**	17.39%	14.92%	16.66%	5.88%	9.09%	6.25%
F	**	4.34%	2.98%	**	11.76%	**	**
(undec.)	**	4.34%	4.47%	**	5.88%	21.21%	**
(no opinion)	**	4.34%	10.44%	16.66%	29.41%	27.27%	18.75%

** = less than one percent

22. Do you agree or disagree with: "Nevada schools (K-12) are underfunded"?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	st. agree	49.30%	52.65%	45.95%	57.14%	59.32%	47.03%	37.50%	52.68%	52.31%	35.54%
1	sw. agree	18.24%	17.55%	18.93%	17.85%	16.61%	20.20%	17.85%	14.66%	23.61%	21.68%
-1	sw. disagree	10.39%	8.08%	12.70%	8.92%	7.45%	10.10%	15.17%	10.74%	8.33%	12.04%
-2	st. disagree	8.54%	8.77%	8.31%	3.57%	5.76%	10.80%	9.82%	8.05%	5.09%	14.45%
0	(undec.)	6.69%	5.77%	7.62%	8.92%	5.42%	6.27%	8.48%	7.02%	5.55%	7.22%
0	(no opinion)	6.81%	7.15%	6.46%	3.57%	5.42%	5.57%	11.16%	6.81%	5.09%	9.03%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	50.37%	45.74%	50.65%	59.37%	50.29%	45.37%	46.08%	57.01%	40.00%
sw. agree	18.04%	18.61%	17.94%	12.50%	14.70%	22.68%	25.21%	11.40%	20.00%
sw. disagree	9.02%	11.17%	10.28%	9.37%	10.00%	14.28%	10.00%	9.64%	6.66%
st. disagree	2.25%	6.91%	10.46%	6.25%	9.11%	3.36%	7.82%	11.40%	16.66%
(undec.)	11.27%	7.97%	5.23%	3.12%	8.52%	6.72%	4.34%	7.01%	6.66%
(no opinion)	9.02%	9.57%	5.42%	9.37%	7.35%	7.56%	6.52%	3.50%	10.00%

[1] .46% refused to identify
[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify

'90
$\bar{x}$ = .89
s = 1.34

22. Do you agree or disagree with: "Nevada schools (K-12) are underfunded"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
st. agree	54.90%	42.42%	47.12%	55.71%	46.58%
sw. agree	22.54%	17.17%	15.56%	18.45%	18.43%
sw. disagree	8.00%	15.15%	10.87%	9.96%	10.23%
st. disagree	6.18%	12.12%	9.38%	9.22%	8.02%
(undec.)	4.72%	7.07%	8.10%	4.42%	7.67%
(no opinion)	3.63%	6.06%	8.95%	2.21%	9.04%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
st. agree	33.33%	46.21%	57.50%	54.05%	56.96%	34.26%	46.26%
sw. agree	22.22%	23.48%	17.56%	24.32%	11.39%	17.41%	17.91%
sw. disagree	5.55%	9.09%	7.64%	8.10%	10.12%	17.41%	10.44%
st. disagree	27.77%	8.33%	7.64%	2.70%	7.59%	9.55%	8.95%
(undec.)	11.11%	6.06%	5.09%	5.40%	5.06%	9.55%	10.44%
(no opinion)	**	6.81%	4.53%	5.40%	8.86%	11.79%	5.97%

[4] responses include:
- child/children in private school .80%
- grandchild/children in private school .57%
- child/children educated at home .23%
- grandchild/children educated at home .34%
- one child in private; other in public school .69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

23. In CLARK county do you feel the teachers' salaries are

		CLARK TOTAL n=484	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[1] -5 yrs. n=90	5-10 yrs. n=114	11+ yrs. n=279	H.S. ATTENDANCE[2] Nv. h.s. n=113	Another state h.s. n=366
1	too high	3.51%	2.22%	4.38%	3.58%	2.65%	3.82%
-1	too low	56.19%	63.33%	52.63%	55.55%	64.60%	54.09%
0	about right	38.42%	33.33%	41.22%	39.06%	30.08%	40.71%
0	(undec.)	1.44%	1.11%	1.75%	1.07%	2.65%	.81%
0	(no opinion)	.40%	**	**	.70%	**	.54%

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[3] child pub. sch. n=137	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=63	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=268
too high	2.18%	1.58%	4.85%
too low	54.74%	47.61%	58.95%
about right	42.33%	46.03%	34.32%
(undec.)	.72%	3.17%	1.49%
(no opinion)	**	1.58%	.37%

** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = -.53	$\bar{x}$ = -.49	$\bar{x}$ = -.52
s = .57	s = .56	s = .55

[1] .02% refused to identify
[2] .10% refused to identify
[3] responses include:
.14% child in private school
.08% grandchild in private school
.02% child educated at home
.08% one in private; one in public school

23. In CLARK county do you feel the teachers' salaries are

	EMPLOYMENT[4]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=9	n=65	n=214	n=19	n=39	n=105	n=32
too high	**	1.53%	4.67%	**	2.56%	2.85%	6.25%
too low	22.22%	61.53%	59.81%	63.15%	56.41%	44.76%	65.62%
about right	77.77%	35.38%	34.57%	36.84%	41.02%	46.66%	28.12%
(undec.)	**	1.53%	.93%	**	**	3.80%	**
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	1.90%	**

** = less than one percent

23. In WASHOE county do you feel the teachers' salaries are

		WASHOE TOTAL	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[1]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[2]	
			-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	Nv. h.s.	Another state h.s.
		n=216	n=27	n=36	n=148	n=86	n=127
1	too high	2.31%	3.70%	5.55%	1.35%	1.16%	3.14%
-1	too low	60.64%	48.14%	63.88%	62.83%	70.93%	54.33%
0	about right	34.25%	48.14%	30.55%	32.43%	25.58%	39.37%
0	(undec.)	2.77%	**	**	3.37%	2.32%	3.14%
0	(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[3]		
	child pub. sch.	gr.ch. pub. sch.	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch.
	n=68	n=12	n=133
too high	2.94%	**	2.25%
too low	66.17%	33.33%	60.15%
about right	27.94%	58.33%	35.33%
(undec.)	2.94%	8.33%	2.25%
(no opinion)	**	**	**

** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = -.58	$\bar{x}$ = -.62	$\bar{x}$ = -.69
s = .54	s = .53	s = .49

[1] 2.31% refused to identify
[2] 1.38% refused to identify
[3] .46% = grandchild educated at home
.92% = 1 child in private school; one in public

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23. In WASHOE county do you feel the teachers' salaries are

	EMPLOYMENT[4]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=5	n=44	n=72	n=12	n=23	n=40	n=19
too high	**	4.54%	**	**	4.34%	2.50%	**
too low	60.00%	54.54%	68.05%	58.33%	65.21%	45.00%	78.94%
about right	40.00%	38.63%	30.55%	41.66%	30.43%	45.00%	15.78%
(undec.)	**	2.27%	1.38%	**	**	7.50%	5.26%
(no opinion)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

[4] .46% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

23. In rural Nevada do you feel the teachers' salaries are

			LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[1]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[2]	
		OTHER TOTAL n=166	-5 yrs. n=16	5-10 yrs. n=38	11+ yrs. n=108	Nv. h.s. n=72	Another state h.s. n=93
1	too high	3.61%	6.25%	5.26%	2.77%	1.38%	5.37%
-1	too low	40.36%	43.75%	42.10%	40.74%	41.66%	38.70%
0	about right	50.60%	50.00%	39.47%	52.77%	52.77%	49.46%
0	(undec.)	3.61%	**	7.89%	2.77%	4.16%	3.22%
0	(no opinion)	1.80%	**	5.26%	.92%	**	3.22%

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[3]		
	child pub. sch. n=70	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=24	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=68
too high	4.28%	**	4.41%
too low	41.42%	33.33%	41.17%
about right	48.57%	58.33%	50.00%
(undec.)	4.28%	4.16%	2.94%
(no opinion)	1.42%	4.16%	1.47%

** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = -.37	$\bar{x}$ = -.42	$\bar{x}$ = -.51
s = .55	s = .57	s = .52

1 2.40% refused to identify
2 .60% refused to identify
3 .60% = grandchild in private school
.60% = child educated at home
1.20% = grandchild educated at home

23. In rural Nevada do you feel the teachers' salaries are

	EMPLOYMENT						
	employe	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=4	n=23	n=67	n=6	n=17	n=33	n=16
too high	**	**	2.98%	**	5.88%	6.06%	6.25%
too low	25.00%	34.78%	44.77%	66.66%	35.29%	39.39%	31.25%
about right	75.00%	60.86%	49.25%	33.33%	52.94%	42.42%	56.25%
(undec.)	**	4.34%	1.49%	**	5.88%	9.09%	6.25%
(no opinion)	**	**	1.49%	**	**	3.03%	**

** = less than one percent

24. Would you agree or disagree with: "State funding of the school lunch program needs to be increased in order to decrease the cost of lunches"?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	st. agree	24.94%	26.78%	23.09%	42.85%	27.11%	20.90%	23.21%	27.27%	23.14%	20.48%
1	sw. agree	22.17%	21.47%	22.86%	26.78%	22.71%	23.34%	18.75%	21.07%	26.38%	19.87%
-1	sw. disagree	16.28%	16.85%	15.70%	5.35%	18.98%	19.16%	11.60%	13.84%	16.20%	23.49%
-2	st. disagree	19.05%	17.78%	20.32%	12.50%	18.64%	18.81%	20.98%	20.24%	14.35%	21.68%
0	(undec.)	8.89%	9.69%	8.08%	3.57%	7.11%	9.75%	11.60%	7.02%	12.03%	10.24%
0	(no opinion)	8.66%	7.39%	9.93%	8.92%	5.42%	8.01%	13.83%	10.53%	7.87%	4.21%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	26.31%	26.59%	24.48%	53.12%	31.17%	19.32%	17.82%	18.42%	26.66%
sw. agree	21.80%	21.80%	22.42%	15.62%	20.58%	31.09%	20.00%	24.56%	20.00%
sw. disagree	17.29%	14.36%	16.63%	3.12%	15.88%	14.28%	20.43%	14.91%	13.33%
st. disagree	18.79%	19.14%	18.69%	12.50%	15.88%	21.84%	18.26%	28.07%	26.66%
(undec.)	7.51%	9.57%	8.97%	12.50%	8.82%	5.04%	12.17%	5.26%	10.00%
(no opinion)	8.27%	8.51%	8.78%	3.12%	7.94%	8.40%	11.30%	8.77%	3.33%

[1] .46% refused to identify
[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify

'90
$\bar{x}$ = .18
s = 1.45

24. Would you agree or disagree with: "State funding of the school lunch program needs to be increased in order to decreas the cost of lunches"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch.	gr.ch. pub. sch.	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch.	Nv. h.s.	Another state h.s.
	n=275	n=99	n=469	n=271	n=586
st. agree	21.45%	32.32%	25.79%	27.30%	23.89%
sw. agree	21.45%	20.20%	23.02%	22.87%	21.84%
sw. disagree	21.09%	14.14%	14.07%	18.81%	15.18%
st. disagree	24.72%	18.18%	15.35%	16.60%	20.13%
(undec.)	7.63%	3.03%	10.87%	8.11%	9.04%
(no opinion)	3.63%	12.12%	10.87%	6.27%	9.89%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=18	n=132	n=353	n=37	n=79	n=178	n=67
st. agree	11.11%	14.39%	29.17%	45.94%	25.31%	21.34%	25.37%
sw. agree	5.55%	28.78%	19.54%	24.32%	27.84%	20.78%	23.88%
sw. disagree	22.22%	21.96%	18.13%	**	18.98%	11.23%	11.94%
st. disagree	33.33%	21.96%	19.26%	8.10%	13.92%	19.10%	20.89%
(undec.)	5.55%	6.81%	6.79%	13.51%	8.86%	13.48%	8.95%
(no opinion)	22.22%	6.06%	7.08%	8.10%	5.06%	14.04%	8.95%

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

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25. Do you agree or disagree with: "Parents are sufficiently involved with their children's education"?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	st. agree	6.35%	5.31%	7.39%	21.42%	8.13%	2.43%	5.35%	6.40%	4.16%	9.03%
1	sw. agree	10.39%	9.46%	11.31%	12.50%	12.88%	8.36%	9.37%	10.12%	6.94%	15.66%
-1	sw. disagree	15.58%	15.47%	15.70%	12.50%	16.27%	18.46%	12.05%	13.84%	19.90%	15.06%
-2	st. disagree	64.08%	66.05%	62.12%	51.78%	57.96%	68.64%	68.75%	66.32%	64.35%	57.22%
0	(undec.)	2.19%	1.61%	2.77%	1.78%	3.05%	.69%	3.12%	2.06%	3.24%	1.20%
0	(no opinion)	1.38%	2.07%	.69%	**	1.69%	1.39%	1.33%	1.23%	1.38%	1.80%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	8.27%	6.38%	5.98%	15.62%	6.17%	9.24%	6.08%	2.63%	3.33%
sw. agree	10.52%	11.17%	9.90%	21.87%	12.64%	10.08%	9.13%	5.26%	3.33%
sw. disagree	18.04%	17.02%	14.76%	6.25%	12.64%	21.00%	17.82%	14.91%	23.33%
st. disagree	57.89%	62.76%	65.79%	53.12%	63.82%	56.30%	63.04%	76.31%	70.00%
(undec.)	3.75%	1.59%	2.05%	3.12%	2.64%	1.68%	3.04%	**	**
(no opinion)	1.50%	1.06%	1.49%	**	2.05%	1.68%	.86%	.87%	**

[1] .46% refused to identify
[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify
** = less than one percent

'90
$\bar{x}$ = -1.22
s = 1.28

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25. Do you agree or disagree with: "Parents are sufficiently involved with their children's education"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
st. agree	8.36%	4.04%	5.54%	9.59%	4.77%
sw. agree	16.36%	8.08%	7.67%	13.65%	8.87%
sw. disagree	14.54%	19.19%	15.35%	13.28%	16.89%
st. disagree	59.27%	64.64%	66.95%	60.14%	65.87%
(undec.)	1.09%	2.02%	2.77%	1.84%	2.21%
(no opinion)	.36%	2.02%	1.70%	1.47%	1.36%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
st. agree	**	7.57%	6.23%	24.32%	5.06%	5.61%	**
sw. agree	**	9.84%	8.49%	18.91%	17.72%	9.55%	13.43%
sw. disagree	22.22%	20.45%	13.88%	18.91%	21.51%	11.79%	14.92%
st. disagree	77.77%	56.81%	68.83%	35.13%	50.63%	68.53%	70.14%
(undec.)	**	3.78%	1.13%	2.70%	2.53%	2.80%	1.49%
(no opinion)	**	1.51%	1.41%	**	2.53%	1.68%	**

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

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26. Who do you think has the primary responsibility to see that parents become more involved?

		GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
	TOTAL	FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
	n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
1 parents	63.85%	63.74%	63.97%	44.64%	62.03%	68.98%	64.28%	63.01%	67.59%	61.44%
-1 schools	12.00%	12.70%	11.31%	19.64%	9.83%	13.93%	10.71%	13.01%	12.50%	8.43%
0 (undec.)	4.73%	6.46%	3.00%	**	4.74%	5.22%	4.91%	4.95%	4.16%	4.81%
0 (no opinion)	2.30%	2.77%	1.84%	1.78%	2.03%	.69%	4.91%	1.03%	4.62%	3.01%
0 (non seq.)	17.09%	14.31%	19.86%	33.92%	21.35%	11.14%	15.17%	17.97%	11.11%	22.28%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
parents	60.15%	62.76%	64.85%	40.62%	60.88%	63.02%	65.65%	72.80%	76.66%
schools	12.78%	13.82%	11.40%	15.62%	10.29%	14.28%	12.17%	14.03%	10.00%
(undec.)	5.26%	4.25%	4.85%	3.12%	5.88%	2.52%	5.21%	2.63%	6.66%
(no opinion)	.75%	1.06%	3.17%	6.25%	2.35%	2.52%	1.73%	2.63%	**
(non seq.)	21.05%	18.08%	15.70%	34.37%	20.58%	17.64%	15.21%	7.89%	6.66%

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26. Who do you think has the primary responsibility to see that parents become more involved?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
parents	58.54%	60.60%	68.01%	62.73%	64.84%
schools	12.36%	16.16%	10.66%	9.96%	12.62%
(undec.)	4.00%	5.05%	5.11%	3.32%	5.46%
(no opinion)	1.81%	3.03%	2.13%	1.47%	2.55%
(non seq.)	23.27%	15.15%	14.07%	22.50%	14.50%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
parents	83.33%	66.66%	66.28%	40.54%	55.69%	62.92%	65.67%
schools	16.66%	8.33%	12.18%	13.51%	15.18%	10.67%	16.41%
(undec.)	**	4.54%	5.09%	2.70%	3.79%	6.17%	1.49%
(no opinion)	**	2.27%	.56%	2.70%	3.79%	5.61%	1.49%
(non seq.)	**	18.18%	15.86%	40.54%	21.51%	14.60%	14.92%

[4]responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

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27. Do you agree or disagree with: "School districts should report student achievement, and other educational school indicators for each school, to the general public"?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	st. agree	44.68%	46.88%	42.49%	48.21%	46.10%	42.50%	44.19%	52.06%	33.79%	37.34%
1	sw. agree	30.60%	29.09%	32.10%	32.14%	30.50%	33.79%	26.78%	25.41%	36.57%	37.95%
-1	sw. disagree	10.85%	11.31%	10.39%	8.92%	11.52%	9.40%	12.50%	9.29%	12.96%	12.65%
-2	st. disagree	7.27%	6.92%	7.62%	7.14%	8.13%	8.71%	4.01%	7.43%	6.01%	8.43%
0	(undec.)	4.15%	3.46%	4.84%	3.57%	2.37%	3.13%	8.03%	3.71%	7.40%	1.20%
0	(no opinion)	2.42%	2.30%	2.54%	**	1.35%	2.43%	4.46%	2.06%	3.24%	2.40%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	41.35%	50.53%	42.99%	43.75%	45.88%	40.33%	43.04%	46.49%	56.66%
sw. agree	33.83%	25.00%	31.96%	28.12%	29.41%	36.13%	31.73%	27.19%	30.00%
sw. disagree	10.52%	11.70%	10.84%	18.75%	11.47%	5.88%	11.30%	13.15%	3.33%
st. disagree	9.02%	8.51%	6.35%	3.12%	6.47%	9.24%	6.95%	8.77%	6.66%
(undec.)	1.50%	2.12%	5.60%	3.12%	4.70%	5.88%	2.60%	4.38%	3.33%
(no opinion)	3.75%	2.12%	2.24%	3.12%	2.05%	2.52%	4.34%	**	**

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27. Do you agree or disagree with: "School districts should report student achievement, and other educational school indicators for each school, to the general public"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch.	gr.ch. pub. sch.	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch.	Nv. h.s.	Another state h.s.
	n=275	n=99	n=469	n=271	n=586
st. agree	41.45%	49.49%	44.98%	43.54%	45.39%
sw. agree	33.81%	26.26%	30.27%	34.31%	29.18%
sw. disagree	12.00%	8.08%	10.87%	8.85%	11.60%
st. disagree	8.72%	6.06%	6.82%	8.48%	6.65%
(undec.)	2.90%	5.05%	4.26%	3.69%	4.09%
(no opinion)	1.09%	5.05%	2.77%	1.10%	3.07%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=18	n=132	n=353	n=37	n=79	n=178	n=67
st. agree	11.11%	44.69%	45.89%	51.35%	43.03%	44.94%	46.26%
sw. agree	55.55%	29.54%	28.89%	29.72%	29.11%	29.77%	38.80%
sw. disagree	5.55%	15.15%	11.89%	2.70%	8.86%	10.11%	7.46%
st. disagree	11.11%	7.57%	8.78%	5.40%	12.65%	3.37%	1.49%
(undec.)	11.11%	.75%	3.39%	5.40%	2.53%	8.42%	2.98%
(no opinion)	5.55%	2.27%	1.13%	5.40%	3.97%	3.37%	2.98%

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

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28. Who do you think has the primary responsibility of reporting to the public on how Nevada schools are performing?

	TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
		FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
	n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
local dist.	53.81%	54.73%	52.88%	46.42%	57.62%	52.96%	51.33%	51.65%	54.16%	59.63%
Nv. D. of Ed.	34.64%	33.48%	35.79%	42.85%	29.49%	35.19%	38.83%	36.15%	31.01%	34.93%
US D. of Ed.	4.73%	4.38%	5.08%	10.71%	5.76%	4.18%	2.67%	5.99%	4.16%	1.80%
(undec.)	4.50%	5.08%	3.92%	**	5.08%	5.57%	3.57%	4.54%	6.48%	1.80%
(no opinion)	2.30%	2.30%	2.30%	**	2.03%	2.08%	3.56%	1.64%	4.15%	1.80%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
local dist.	51.12%	60.10%	52.14%	46.87%	52.05%	57.14%	54.34%	54.38%	60.00%
Nv. D. of Ed.	36.09%	31.91%	35.51%	40.62%	34.70%	31.09%	35.65%	37.71%	23.33%
US D. of Ed.	6.01%	3.19%	4.85%	3.12%	4.70%	5.88%	4.34%	2.63%	13.33%
(undec.)	5.26%	3.72%	4.48%	3.12%	6.47%	2.52%	3.47%	3.50%	3.33%
(no opinion)	1.50%	1.06%	2.98%	6.25%	2.05%	3.36%	2.16%	1.74%	**

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28. Who do you think has the primary responsibility of reporting to the public on how Nevada schools are performing?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
local dist.	58.90%	57.57%	50.95%	56.82%	52.38%
Nv. D. of Ed.	30.54%	32.32%	37.10%	33.21%	35.49%
US D. of Ed.	4.72%	3.03%	4.90%	5.16%	4.60%
(undec.)	3.27%	4.04%	4.90%	2.95%	4.94%
(no opinion)	2.54%	3.03%	2.12%	1.84%	2.55%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
local dist.	61.11%	52.27%	55.52%	51.35%	58.22%	52.24%	46.26%
Nv. D. of Ed.	38.88%	37.87%	32.29%	40.54%	30.37%	35.95%	38.80%
US D. of Ed.	**	6.06%	5.38%	2.70%	2.53%	3.37%	7.46%
(undec.)	**	2.27%	4.53%	5.40%	7.59%	5.05%	2.98%
(no opinion)	**	1.51%	2.21%	**	1.26%	3.36%	4.47%

[4]responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
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29. Do you agree or disagree with: "At the present time the schools are doing an acceptable job of reporting on their performance to the public"?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	st. agree	6.81%	6.23%	7.39%	12.50%	6.77%	6.62%	5.80%	7.43%	2.31%	10.84%
1	sw. agree	22.86%	21.47%	24.24%	28.57%	23.38%	20.90%	23.21%	24.38%	21.75%	19.87%
-1	sw. disagree	20.43%	20.55%	20.32%	21.42%	20.67%	22.99%	16.96%	17.35%	25.46%	22.89%
-2	st. disagree	33.02%	33.48%	32.56%	25.00%	35.93%	31.70%	32.58%	33.88%	32.87%	30.72%
0	(undec.)	7.96%	8.08%	7.85%	8.92%	6.10%	8.36%	9.37%	8.47%	8.33%	6.02%
0	(no opinion)	8.89%	10.16%	7.62%	3.57%	7.11%	9.40%	12.05%	8.47%	9.25%	9.63%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	7.51%	7.97%	6.16%	9.37%	5.58%	9.24%	7.82%	7.01%	**
sw. agree	24.81%	19.68%	23.17%	25.00%	22.64%	16.80%	22.60%	28.07%	26.66%
sw. disagree	15.78%	19.14%	22.42%	18.75%	21.47%	24.36%	17.39%	17.54%	30.00%
st. disagree	27.06%	36.70%	33.08%	25.00%	32.94%	28.57%	34.34%	36.84%	36.66%
(undec.)	12.03%	6.91%	7.28%	3.12%	9.41%	6.72%	8.69%	5.26%	6.66%
(no opinion)	12.78%	9.57%	7.85%	18.75%	7.94%	14.28%	9.13%	5.26%	**

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29. Do you agree or disagree with: "At the present time the schools are doing an acceptable job of reporting on their performance to the public"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
st. agree	10.18%	4.04%	5.75%	8.11%	6.14%
sw. agree	25.81%	33.33%	19.18%	26.56%	21.16%
sw. disagree	20.72%	13.13%	21.74%	22.14%	19.28%
st. disagree	32.72%	33.33%	32.40%	33.57%	33.27%
(undec.)	5.81%	5.05%	9.80%	5.53%	8.87%
(no opinion)	4.72%	11.11%	11.08%	4.05%	11.26%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
st. agree	5.55%	9.09%	7.64%	10.81%	3.79%	6.17%	1.49%
sw. agree	27.77%	26.51%	23.51%	24.32%	18.98%	19.66%	22.38%
sw. disagree	22.22%	18.93%	21.52%	29.72%	18.98%	18.53%	19.40%
st. disagree	27.77%	27.27%	34.27%	24.32%	39.24%	30.89%	41.79%
(undec.)	11.11%	8.33%	6.23%	5.40%	7.59%	11.79%	7.46%
(no opinion)	5.55%	9.84%	6.79%	5.40%	11.39%	12.92%	7.46%

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
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30. Do you agree or disagree with: "Nevada's State Dept. of Ed. provides adequate information about our public school system to its citizens"?

		GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
	TOTAL n=866	FEMALE n=433	MALE n=433	18-24 n=56	25-40 n=295	41-55 n=287	56+ n=224	CLARK n=484	WASHOE n=216	OTHER n=166
st. agree	6.69%	6.00%	7.39%	21.42%	6.77%	4.87%	5.35%	7.64%	3.24%	8.43%
1 sw. agree	20.32%	19.86%	20.78%	19.64%	22.71%	19.51%	18.75%	20.04%	20.37%	21.08%
-1 sw. disagree	17.32%	18.70%	15.93%	16.07%	18.64%	16.72%	16.96%	16.73%	19.90%	15.66%
-2 st. disagree	37.64%	38.33%	36.95%	23.21%	35.93%	42.50%	36.60%	38.42%	37.96%	34.93%
0 (undec.)	8.89%	7.62%	10.16%	14.28%	8.13%	6.62%	11.16%	8.26%	10.18%	9.03%
0 (no opinion)	9.12%	9.46%	8.77%	5.35%	7.79%	9.75%	11.16%	8.88%	8.33%	10.84%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs. n=133	5-10 yrs. n=188	11+ yrs. n=535	-h.s. n=32	h.s. n=340	A.A. n=119	B.A/S. n=230	M.A/S. n=114	Doctorate n=30
st. agree	6.01%	9.57%	5.98%	18.75%	6.17%	7.56%	6.52%	6.14%	**
sw. agree	24.81%	15.95%	20.56%	18,75%	21.17%	18.48%	21.30%	17.54%	23.33%
sw. disagree	15.03%	15.95%	18.50%	12.50%	16.76%	25.21%	16.52%	16.66%	6.66%
st. disagree	28.57%	40.95%	38.50%	31.25%	36.47%	27.73%	39.13%	47.36%	46.66%
(undec.)	10.52%	7.97%	8.78%	6.25%	10.29%	6.72%	8.69%	4.38%	23.33%
(no opinion)	15.03%	9.57%	7.66%	12.50%	9.11%	14.28%	7.82%	7.89%	**

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30. Do you agree or disagree with: "Nevada's State Dept. of Ed. provides adequate information about our public school system to its citizens"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
st. agree	8.36%	2.02%	7.03%	9.96%	5.11%
sw. agree	21.45%	22.22%	19.40%	20.29%	20.30%
sw. disagree	16.00%	18.18%	17.91%	17.71%	17.23%
st. disagree	40.00%	36.36%	35.60%	39.11%	37.03%
(undec.)	6.54%	10.10%	10.23%	7.74%	9.21%
(no opinion)	7.63%	11.11%	9.80%	5.16%	11.09%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
st. agree	**	7.57%	7.36%	21.62%	3.79%	5.05%	2.98%
sw. agree	50.00%	21.96%	21.52%	16.21%	21.51%	16.29%	13.43%
sw. disagree	5.55%	17.42%	18.98%	18.91%	15.18%	15.73%	17.91%
st. disagree	27.77%	31.06%	41.07%	27.02%	40.50%	35.39%	43.28%
(undec.)	11.11%	10.60%	4.53%	8.10%	6.32%	15.73%	13.43%
(no opinion)	5.55%	11.36%	6.51%	8.10%	12.65%	11.79%	8.95%

[4] responses include:
- child/children in private school .80%
- grandchild/children in private school .57%
- child/children educated at home .23%
- grandchild/children educated at home .34%
- one child in private; other in public school .69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

31. How would you rate your familiarity with the Nevada Student Proficiency Examination Program?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	v. familiar	14.78%	18.01%	11.54%	23.21%	11.18%	23.34%	6.25%	10.12%	25.00%	15.06%
1	s. familiar	28.40%	29.33%	27.48%	25.00%	29.49%	29.96%	26.33%	27.89%	25.00%	34.33%
-1	s. unfamiliar	15.47%	15.70%	15.24%	21.42%	15.59%	14.63%	14.73%	17.97%	11.57%	13.25%
-2	c. unfamiliar	40.06%	35.33%	44.80%	30.35%	43.05%	31.70%	49.55%	43.38%	37.03%	34.33%
0	(undec.)	1.27%	1.61%	.92%	**	.67%	.34%	3.12%	.61%	1.38%	3.01%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
v. familiar	5.26%	9.57%	18.50%	6.25%	10.00%	10.08%	15.65%	35.08%	13.33%
s. familiar	18.79%	24.46%	32.33%	28.12%	27.05%	28.57%	30.00%	27.19%	36.66%
s. unfamiliar	13.53%	19.14%	14.76%	9.37%	15.58%	19.32%	15.21%	12.28%	20.00%
c. unfamiliar	61.65%	46.27%	32.89%	53.12%	45.88%	40.33%	38.26%	24.56%	30.00%
(undec.)	.75%	.53%	1.49%	3.12%	1.47%	1.68%	.86%	.87%	**

[1] .46% refused to identify
[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify
** = less than one percent

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$\bar{x}$ = -.38
s = 1.58

31. How would you rate your familiarity with the Nevada Student Proficiency Examination Program?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
v. familiar	20.72%	7.07%	13.00%	25.46%	9.89%
s. familiar	29.81%	31.31%	26.43%	31.36%	27.13%
s. unfamiliar	16.36%	19.19%	13.85%	14.02%	16.38%
c. unfamiliar	33.09%	40.40%	44.77%	27.67%	45.39%
(undec.)	**	2.02%	1.91%	1.47%	1.19%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
v. familiar	11.11%	14.39%	16.43%	16.21%	25.31%	7.30%	14.92%
s. familiar	33.33%	27.27%	32.29%	24.32%	24.05%	23.03%	31.34%
s. unfamiliar	27.77%	11.36%	16.99%	18.91%	10.12%	15.16%	17.91%
c. unfamiliar	27.77%	46.96%	33.42%	40.54%	40.50%	50.00%	35.82%
(undec.)	**	**	.84%	**	**	4.49%	**

[4]responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

32. Do you agree or disagree with: "This aspect of the Nevada Proficiency Examination Program should be continued"?

		GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
	TOTAL n=866	FEMALE n=433	MALE n=433	18-24 n=56	25-40 n=295	41-55 n=287	56+ n=224	CLARK n=484	WASHOE n=216	OTHER n=166
2 st. agree	80.48%	81.06%	79.90%	76.78%	81.69%	80.13%	79.91%	85.74%	75.46%	71.68%
1 sw. agree	12.00%	11.08%	12.93%	14.28%	10.84%	12.89%	12.05%	9.29%	13.88%	17.46%
-1 sw. disagree	1.96%	2.07%	1.84%	1.78%	1.01%	2.09%	3.12%	1.23%	3.24%	2.40%
-2 st. disagree	2.88%	2.77%	3.00%	7.14%	3.38%	2.78%	1.33%	2.47%	4.16%	2.40%
0 (undec.)	1.15%	1.61%	.69%	**	1.69%	**	2.23%	1.03%	1.38%	1.20%
0 (no opinion)	1.50%	1.38%	1.61%	**	1.35%	2.09%	1.33%	.20%	1.85%	4.81%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs. n=133	5-10 yrs. n=188	11+ yrs. n=535	-h.s. n=32	h.s. n=340	A.A. n=119	B.A/S. n=230	M.A/S. n=114	Doctorate n=30
st. agree	78.94%	81.38%	80.37%	75.00%	86.47%	77.31%	76.08%	75.43%	83.33%
sw. agree	14.28%	10.63%	11.96%	9.37%	8.52%	15.96%	15.65%	13.15%	6.66%
sw. disagree	2.25%	1.06%	2.24%	3.12%	.29%	.84%	3.47%	4.38%	3.33%
st. disagree	2.25%	2.65%	3.17%	**	2.05%	3.36%	3.04%	5.26%	3.33%
(undec.)	**	1.59%	1.30%	6.25%	.58%	.84%	1.30%	.87%	3.33%
(no opinion)	2.25%	2.65%	.93%	6.25%	2.05%	1.68%	.43%	.87%	**

[1] .46% refused to identify
[2] 1.15% refused to identify
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$\bar{x}$ = 1.65
s = .86

32. Do you agree or disagree with: "This aspect of the Nevada Proficiency Examination Program should be continued"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
st. agree	78.90%	85.85%	80.81%	80.81%	80.37%
sw. agree	14.18%	7.07%	11.72%	10.70%	12.79%
sw. disagree	1.09%	1.01%	2.34%	1.84%	1.87%
st. disagree	3.63%	2.02%	2.34%	3.69%	2.55%
(undec.)	1.45%	1.01%	1.06%	1.47%	.85%
(no opinion)	.72%	3.03%	1.70%	1.47%	1.53%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
st. agree	83.33%	81.06%	81.01%	91.89%	74.68%	79.21%	80.59%
sw. agree	5.55%	14.39%	11.33%	2.70%	16.45%	11.79%	13.43%
sw. disagree	**	.75%	1.98%	**	1.26%	3.37%	2.98%
st. disagree	5.55%	2.27%	3.11%	5.40%	2.53%	1.68%	2.98%
(undec.)	5.55%	.75%	.56%	**	2.53%	2.24%	**
(no opinion)	**	.75%	1.98%	**	2.53%	1.68%	**

[4] responses include:
- child/children in private school .80%
- grandchild/children in private school .57%
- child/children educated at home .23%
- grandchild/children educated at home .34%
- one child in private; other in public school .69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

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33. Do you agree or disagree with: "The Nevada Proficiency Exam should be expanded to include testing more often, such as at every grade level"?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	st. agree	50.57%	50.80%	50.34%	50.00%	52.20%	49.12%	50.00%	55.37%	47.68%	40.36%
1	sw. agree	18.36%	17.09%	19.63%	12.50%	17.62%	15.33%	25.00%	18.18%	18.51%	18.67%
-1	sw. disagree	12.00%	11.77%	12.24%	16.07%	10.84%	14.28%	9.82%	9.71%	11.57%	19.27%
-2	st. disagree	13.62%	14.54%	12.70%	21.42%	13.55%	17.42%	6.69%	13.84%	14.81%	11.44%
0	(undec.)	3.11%	2.77%	3.46%	**	3.72%	2.09%	4.46%	2.06%	5.09%	3.61%
0	(no opinion)	2.30%	3.00%	1.61%	**	2.03%	1.74%	4.01%	.82%	2.31%	6.62%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	48.87%	54.25%	49.90%	56.25%	58.23%	42.01%	50.43%	35.96%	46.66%
sw. agree	18.04%	17.02%	18.87%	21.87%	17.05%	24.36%	20.43%	13.15%	10.00%
sw. disagree	13.53%	11.17%	11.77%	3.12%	11.47%	13.44%	11.30%	15.78%	13.33%
st. disagree	15.03%	10.63%	14.20%	12.50%	8.23%	13.44%	13.04%	28.07%	26.66%
(undec.)	3.00%	3.72%	2.99%	3.12%	2.35%	4.20%	3.04%	4.38%	3.33%
(no opinion)	1.50%	3.19%	2.24%	3.12%	2.64%	2.52%	1.73%	2.63%	**

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[2] 1.15% refused to identify
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$\bar{x}$ = .80
s = 1.49

33. Do you agree or disagree with: "The Nevada Proficiency Exam should be expanded to include testing more often, such as at every grade level"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
st. agree	51.27%	55.55%	49.25%	47.60%	51.70%
sw. agree	13.81%	16.16%	21.53%	16.23%	19.62%
sw. disagree	13.09%	11.11%	11.51%	14.39%	10.75%
st. disagree	17.45%	9.09%	12.15%	16.97%	12.11%
(undec.)	2.54%	2.02%	3.62%	2.58%	3.41%
(no opinion)	1.81%	6.06%	1.91%	2.21%	2.38%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
st. agree	38.88%	49.24%	54.95%	37.83%	43.03%	50.56%	49.25%
sw. agree	22.22%	15.15%	15.29%	10.81%	20.25%	25.84%	22.38%
sw. disagree	11.11%	14.39%	11.61%	21.62%	12.65%	8.98%	11.94%
st. disagree	16.66%	17.42%	13.59%	29.72%	15.18%	6.17%	13.43%
(undec.)	11.11%	2.27%	1.98%	**	3.79%	5.61%	2.98%
(no opinion)	**	1.51%	2.54%	**	5.06%	2.80%	**

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

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34. Do you agree or disagree with: "The Nevada Proficiency Exam should be expanded to include testing on additional subjects"?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	st. agree	50.23%	50.11%	50.34%	57.14%	47.11%	48.78%	53.57%	54.13%	50.92%	37.95%
1	sw. agree	22.86%	19.39%	26.32%	25.00%	21.69%	23.34%	23.66%	19.83%	22.68%	31.92%
-1	sw. disagree	10.50%	10.85%	10.16%	8.92%	12.88%	9.05%	9.82%	8.47%	12.03%	14.45%
-2	st. disagree	12.12%	15.24%	9.00%	8.92%	14.91%	14.28%	6.69%	15.08%	7.87%	9.03%
0	(undec.)	2.07%	2.07%	2.07%	**	2.03%	2.43%	2.23%	1.85%	3.70%	.60%
0	(no opinion)	2.19%	2.30%	2.07%	**	1.35%	2.09%	4.01%	.61%	2.77%	6.02%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	48.12%	49.46%	50.84%	56.25%	49.11%	45.37%	52.60%	52.63%	46.66%
sw. agree	23.30%	25.53%	22.05%	25.00%	22.35%	27.73%	25.21%	14.03%	23.33%
sw. disagree	11.27%	12.76%	9.53%	9.37%	11.76%	8.40%	10.43%	8.77%	13.33%
st. disagree	14.28%	8.51%	12.71%	6.25%	12.64%	13.44%	8.26%	18.42%	13.33%
(undec.)	1.50%	1.06%	2.61%	**	1.47%	1.68%	2.60%	3.50%	3.33%
(no opinion)	1.50%	2.65%	2.24%	3.12%	2.64%	3.36%	.86%	2.63%	**

[1] .46% refused to identify
[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify
** = less than one percent

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$\bar{x}$ = .89
s = 1.43

34. Do you agree or disagree with: "The Nevada Proficiency Exam should be expanded to include testing on additional subjects"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
st. agree	43.27%	56.56%	52.45%	52.76%	49.14%
sw. agree	22.54%	19.19%	24.30%	22.50%	23.03%
sw. disagree	13.81%	8.08%	9.16%	9.59%	10.75%
st. disagree	17.45%	9.09%	9.59%	10.70%	12.79%
(undec.)	1.81%	2.02%	2.13%	2.58%	1.87%
(no opinion)	1.09%	5.05%	2.34%	1.84%	2.38%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
st. agree	27.77%	43.93%	52.12%	51.35%	44.30%	56.74%	47.76%
sw. agree	33.33%	28.78%	20.39%	21.62%	20.25%	23.59%	23.88%
sw. disagree	11.11%	12.12%	9.91%	13.51%	15.18%	6.74%	13.43%
st. disagree	27.77%	11.36%	13.03%	13.51%	13.92%	6.74%	14.92%
(undec.)	**	2.27%	2.26%	**	2.53%	2.80%	**
(no opinion)	**	1.51%	2.26%	**	3.79%	3.37%	**

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

35. Do you agree or disagree with: "The Nevada Proficiency Exam should continue to require h.s. students wishing to qualify for a standard h.s. diploma to be able to meet certain minimum requirements"?[1]

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	st. agree	87.99%	88.68%	87.29%	80.35%	87.11%	89.19%	89.28%	92.97%	82.87%	80.12%
1	sw. agree	7.96%	6.92%	9.00%	17.85%	7.45%	6.96%	7.58%	5.16%	10.18%	13.25%
-1	sw. disagree	.57%	.46%	.69%	1.78%	.33%	.69%	.44%	.41%	1.38%	**
-2	st. disagree	.92%	.92%	.92%	**	2.03%	.69%	**	.82%	.92%	1.20%
0	(undec.)	.92%	1.38%	.46%	**	1.69%	.34%	.89%	.41%	2.77%	**
0	(no opinion)	1.61%	1.61%	1.61%	**	1.35%	2.09%	1.78%	.20%	1.85%	5.42%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	85.71%	85.10%	89.71%	90.62%	87.05%	84.87%	88.26%	91.22%	93.33%
sw. agree	6.76%	9.57%	7.47%	6.25%	10.00%	8.40%	7.82%	3.50%	3.33%
sw. disagree	2.25%	.53%	.18%	**	.29%	1.68%	.43%	.87%	**
st. disagree	2.25%	.53%	.74%	**	.29%	2.52%	.86%	1.75%	**
(undec.)	1.50%	1.06%	.74%	**	.58%	**	1.73%	.87%	3.33%
(no opinion)	1.50%	3.19%	1.12%	3.12%	1.76%	2.52%	.86%	1.75%	**

[1] .46% refused to identify
[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify
** = less than one percent

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$\bar{x}$ = 1.82
s = .59

35. Do you agree or disagree with: "The Nevada Proficiency Exam should continue to require h.s. students wishing to qualif for a standard h.s. diploma to be able [4] to meet certain minimum requirements"? [5]

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT			H.S. ATTENDANCE	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
st. agree	85.09%	91.91%	88.91%	88.19%	87.71%
sw. agree	9.45%	5.05%	7.67%	8.48%	7.84%
sw. disagree	1.09%	**	.42%	.36%	.68%
st. disagree	1.81%	**	.42%	.36%	1.19%
(undec.)	1.45%	**	.85%	.73%	1.02%
(no opinion)	1.09%	3.03%	1.70%	1.84%	1.53%

	EMPLOYMENT [6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
st. agree	94.44%	86.36%	88.10%	91.89%	84.81%	87.07%	92.53%
sw. agree	**	6.81%	8.49%	5.40%	7.59%	9.55%	7.46%
sw. disagree	**	1.51%	.28%	2.70%	**	.56%	**
st. disagree	5.55%	2.27%	.84%	**	1.26%	**	**
(undec.)	**	1.51%	.28%	**	3.79%	1.12%	**
(no opinion)	**	1.51%	1.98%	**	2.53%	1.68%	**

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
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one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

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36. Do you agree or disagree with: "The Nevada Proficiency Exam contributes to the quality of public education in Nevada"?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	st. agree	47.57%	46.88%	48.26%	42.85%	51.18%	45.29%	47.32%	52.06%	39.35%	45.18%
1	sw. agree	30.94%	27.48%	34.41%	35.71%	30.50%	31.35%	29.46%	30.37%	33.79%	28.91%
-1	sw. disagree	4.73%	5.77%	3.69%	8.92%	3.38%	5.57%	4.46%	4.54%	5.09%	4.81%
-2	st. disagree	7.39%	9.00%	5.77%	8.92%	7.11%	9.75%	4.46%	5.78%	10.18%	8.43%
0	(undec.)	6.00%	6.92%	5.08%	3.57%	6.10%	4.18%	8.48%	5.16%	9.25%	4.21%
0	(no opinion)	3.34%	3.92%	2.77%	**	1.69%	3.83%	5.80%	2.06%	2.31%	8.43%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	42.10%	51.59%	47.85%	53.12%	53.23%	44.53%	42.17%	39.47%	60.00%
sw. agree	36.09%	26.59%	31.21%	28.12%	30.88%	29.41%	34.34%	28.07%	26.66%
sw. disagree	7.51%	5.31%	3.73%	**	3.23%	5.88%	6.52%	7.01%	**
st. disagree	3.75%	4.78%	8.97%	3.12%	4.70%	5.88%	8.26%	17.54%	3.33%
(undec.)	7.51%	6.91%	5.23%	6.25%	5.00%	6.72%	6.95%	5.26%	10.00%
(no opinion)	3.00%	4.78%	2.99%	9.37%	2.94%	7.56%	1.73%	2.63%	**

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36. Do you agree or disagree with: "The Nevada Proficiency Exam contributes to the quality of public education in Nevada"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
st. agree	43.63%	52.52%	49.46%	46.49%	47.78%
sw. agree	33.09%	31.31%	29.85%	29.52%	31.91%
sw. disagree	5.09%	5.05%	4.05%	5.53%	4.43%
st. disagree	12.72%	1.01%	5.33%	9.96%	6.31%
(undec.)	4.36%	4.04%	7.03%	6.27%	5.63%
(no opinion)	1.09%	6.06%	4.26%	2.21%	3.92%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
st. agree	44.44%	44.69%	49.00%	51.35%	53.16%	44.94%	44.77%
sw. agree	38.88%	35.60%	29.17%	32.43%	22.78%	32.02%	35.82%
sw. disagree	**	5.30%	4.81%	5.40%	6.32%	4.49%	1.49%
st. disagree	5.55%	4.54%	11.04%	5.40%	7.59%	3.37%	5.97%
(undec.)	11.11%	6.06%	3.39%	5.40%	7.59%	8.98%	8.95%
(no opinion)	**	3.78%	2.54%	**	2.53%	6.17%	2.98%

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

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37. Do you agree or disagree with: "Students need more information to protect themselves from being infected by the AIDS/HIV virus"?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	st. agree	64.43%	66.74%	62.12%	67.85%	69.15%	62.71%	60.26%	67.56%	60.64%	60.24%
1	sw. agree	15.47%	14.08%	16.85%	14.28%	15.59%	14.28%	16.96%	13.63%	18.98%	16.26%
-1	sw. disagree	9.46%	9.00%	9.93%	14.28%	7.45%	11.84%	7.58%	7.64%	10.18%	13.85%
-2	st. disagree	5.54%	5.08%	6.00%	1.78%	4.74%	6.96%	5.80%	5.78%	5.55%	4.81%
0	(undec.)	2.88%	3.00%	2.77%	1.78%	2.03%	2.09%	4.91%	3.51%	.92%	3.61%
0	(no opinion)	2.19%	2.07%	2.30%	**	1.01%	2.09%	4.46%	1.85%	3.70%	1.20%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	75.18%	61.17%	62.99%	78.12%	69.70%	57.98%	60.86%	60.52%	60.00%
sw. agree	10.52%	14.36%	17.19%	9.37%	12.05%	19.32%	18.26%	18.42%	13.33%
sw. disagree	5.26%	11.70%	9.34%	9.37%	7.94%	10.92%	9.56%	10.52%	13.33%
st. disagree	5.26%	4.78%	5.98%	**	5.29%	5.88%	6.08%	7.01%	3.33%
(undec.)	1.50%	3.72%	2.99%	**	3.82%	3.36%	1.30%	1.75%	10.00%
(no opinion)	2.25%	4.25%	1.49%	3.12%	1.17%	2.52%	3.91%	1.75%	**

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37. Do you agree or disagree with: "Students need more information to protect themselves from being infected by the AIDS/HIV virus"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch.	gr.ch. pub. sch.	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch.	Nv. h.s.	Another state h.s.
	n=275	n=99	n=469	n=271	n=586
st. agree	58.18%	61.61%	69.50%	68.26%	62.79%
sw. agree	16.00%	13.13%	14.92%	15.12%	15.69%
sw. disagree	13.81%	12.12%	6.60%	9.59%	9.21%
st. disagree	9.45%	3.03%	3.19%	4.05%	6.31%
(undec.)	1.45%	6.06%	3.19%	1.84%	3.24%
(no opinion)	1.09%	4.04%	2.55%	1.10%	2.73%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=18	n=132	n=353	n=37	n=79	n=178	n=67
st. agree	44.44%	57.57%	69.40%	72.97%	68.35%	56.17%	70.14%
sw. agree	27.77%	21.96%	13.31%	5.40%	13.92%	17.41%	13.43%
sw. disagree	**	6.81%	9.91%	13.51%	8.86%	9.55%	11.94%
st. disagree	16.66%	6.06%	5.66%	5.40%	2.53%	6.17%	2.98%
(undec.)	11.11%	3.78%	.84%	2.70%	1.26%	6.74%	1.49%
(no opinion)	**	3.78%	.84%	**	5.06%	3.93%	**

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

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38. Do you agree or disagree with: "A student who is infected with the HIV virus should be allowed to attend his/her regular public school"?

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2	st. agree	64.31%	66.51%	62.12%	75.00%	67.11%	67.24%	55.35%	66.11%	58.79%	66.26%
1	sw. agree	19.39%	16.66%	22.63%	14.28%	18.30%	17.42%	24.10%	17.76%	23.14%	19.27%
-1	sw. disagree	2.54%	1.38%	3.69%	1.78%	2.71%	1.74%	3.12%	2.06%	3.24%	3.01%
-2	st. disagree	4.96%	5.77%	4.15%	3.57%	5.42%	4.87%	4.91%	5.57%	4.62%	3.61%
0	(undec.)	7.27%	7.85%	6.69%	5.35%	5.76%	7.31%	9.37%	6.40%	8.79%	7.83%
0	(no opinion)	1.50%	2.30%	.69%	**	.67%	1.39%	3.12%	2.06%	1.38%	**

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	66.91%	60.63%	65.04%	56.25%	65.88%	56.30%	66.08%	64.03%	76.66%
sw. agree	20.30%	22.34%	18.13%	12.50%	17.94%	23.52%	20.43%	20.17%	13.33%
sw. disagree	1.50%	3.19%	2.61%	**	3.82%	3.36%	.43%	3.50%	**
st. disagree	3.75%	5.31%	5.23%	9.37%	4.41%	6.72%	4.34%	4.38%	6.66%
(undec.)	6.76%	6.91%	7.28%	15.62%	7.05%	7.56%	7.39%	6.14%	3.33%
(no opinion)	.75%	1.59%	1.68%	6.25%	.88%	2.52%	1.30%	1.75%	**

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38. Do you agree or disagree with: "A student who is infected with the HIV virus should be allowed to attend his/her regular public school"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
st. agree	65.09%	51.51%	66.31%	67.52%	62.79%
sw. agree	16.36%	22.22%	20.68%	15.12%	21.33%
sw. disagree	4.36%	4.04%	1.06%	2.21%	2.73%
st. disagree	7.27%	8.08%	3.19%	5.53%	4.77%
(undec.)	6.18%	11.11%	7.24%	8.48%	6.65%
(no opinion)	.72%	3.03%	1.49%	1.10%	1.70%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
st. agree	61.11%	65.90%	70.25%	67.56%	74.68%	48.31%	61.19%
sw. agree	22.22%	21.21%	15.29%	18.91%	15.18%	25.28%	23.88%
sw. disagree	5.55%	2.27%	2.26%	**	**	4.49%	2.98%
st. disagree	**	3.78%	5.09%	5.40%	6.32%	6.17%	2.98%
(undec.)	11.11%	5.30%	5.94%	8.10%	3.79%	12.35%	7.46%
(no opinion)	**	1.51%	1.13%	**	**	3.37%	1.49%

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

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39. Who should be responsible for providing counseling and support groups for students affected by or concerned about the AIDS issue?

	TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
		FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
	n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
parents	17.55%	15.70%	19.39%	21.42%	15.93%	16.37%	20.53%	13.84%	18.51%	27.10%
schools	10.97%	11.31%	10.62%	14.28%	13.22%	10.10%	8.48%	7.43%	16.20%	14.45%
city governs.	3.46%	3.92%	3.00%	5.35%	5.08%	2.09%	2.67%	4.33%	2.77%	1.80%
state agen.	12.12%	10.62%	13.62%	8.92%	12.54%	13.58%	10.71%	12.39%	14.81%	7.83%
(undec.)	2.19%	2.77%	1.61%	3.57%	1.01%	1.74%	4.01%	2.27%	1.85%	2.40%
(no opinion)	1.03%	1.15%	.92%	**	**	1.74%	1.78%	1.44%	.92%	**
(all above)	52.65%	54.50%	50.80%	46.42%	52.20%	54.35%	51.78%	58.26%	44.90%	46.35%

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39. Who should be responsible for providing counseling and support groups for students affected by or concerned about the AIDS issue?

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs. n=133	5-10 yrs. n=188	11+ yrs. n=535	-h.s. n=32	h.s. n=340	A.A. n=119	B.A/S. n=230	M.A/S. n=114	Doctorate n=30
parents	14.28%	18.08%	18.31%	9.37%	16.76%	19.32%	20.00%	15.78%	16.66%
schools	11.27%	13.82%	10.09%	25.00%	7.35%	11.76%	11.30%	10.52%	33.33%
city governs.	3.00%	4.78%	3.17%	**	3.82%	5.04%	3.47%	1.75%	3.33%
state agen.	15.03%	13.82%	10.46%	15.62%	10.88%	12.60%	13.91%	11.40%	10.00%
(undec.)	3.75%	1.06%	2.24%	3.12%	3.52%	2.52%	1.30%	**	**
(no opinion)	1.50%	1.06%	.74%	3.12%	1.17%	1.68%	.86%	**	**
(all above)	51.12%	47.34%	54.95%	43.75%	56.47%	47.05%	49.13%	60.52%	36.66%

[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify

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39. Who should be responsible for providing counseling and support groups for students affected by or concerned about the AIDS issue?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
parents	19.63%	17.17%	16.41%	18.81%	17.06%
schools	11.63%	7.07%	11.51%	14.76%	9.04%
city governs.	4.00%	2.02%	2.98%	4.05%	3.24%
state agen.	13.81%	13.13%	10.87%	11.43%	12.62%
(undec.)	1.09%	6.06%	2.13%	2.21%	2.21%
(no opinion)	**	2.02%	1.27%	.73%	1.19%
(all above)	49.81%	52.52%	54.79%	47.97%	54.60%

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

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39. Who should be responsible for providing counseling and support groups for students affected by or concerned about the AIDS issue?

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=18	n=132	n=353	n=37	n=79	n=178	n=67
parents	22.22%	15.15%	15.86%	21.62%	24.05%	20.22%	13.43%
schools	5.55%	12.87%	13.59%	10.81%	7.59%	7.30%	8.95%
city governs.	5.55%	3.78%	4.81%	**	2.53%	2.24%	1.49%
state agen.	16.66%	9.84%	11.33%	18.91%	10.12%	12.35%	16.41%
(undec.)	**	**	1.13%	5.40%	2.53%	5.61%	1.49%
(no opinion)	**	.75%	.56%	2.70%	1.26%	1.68%	1.49%
(all above)	50.00%	57.57%	52.69%	40.54%	51.89%	50.56%	56.71%

[6] .23% refused to identify
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40. Do you have children or grandchildren enrolled in Nevada schools?

	TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
		FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
	n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
ch. pub. sch.	31.63%	32.33%	30.94%	7.14%	50.84%	37.63%	4.91%	28.09%	31.48%	42.16%
gr.ch. pub. s.	11.43%	14.31%	8.54%	**	.33%	11.84%	27.67%	13.01%	5.55%	14.45%
ch. pri. sch.	.80%	.69%	.92%	1.78%	1.69%	.34%	**	1.44%	**	**
gr.ch. pri. s.	.57%	.69%	.46%	**	**	1.04%	.89%	.82%	**	.60%
ch. ed. hme.	.23%	**	.46%	**	.67%	**	**	.20%	**	.60%
gr.ch. ed. h.	.34%	.69%	**	**	.33%	.34%	.44%	**	.46%	1.20%
no ch. Nv. s.	54.27%	50.11%	58.42%	91.07%	44.74%	48.08%	66.07%	55.57%	61.57%	40.96%
1 pri.; o. p.s.	.69%	1.15%	.23%	**	1.35%	.69%	**	.82%	.92%	**

[1] .46% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

40. Do you have children or grandchildren enrolled in Nevada schools?

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs. n=133	5-10 yrs. n=188	11+ yrs. n=535	-h.s. n=32	h.s. n=340	A.A. n=119	B.A/S. n=230	M.A/S. n=114	Doctorate n=30
ch. pub. sch.	27.81%	38.82%	30.09%	15.62%	31.17%	34.45%	30.43%	36.84%	30.00%
qr.ch. pub. s.	5.26%	4.78%	14.95%	28.12%	14.70%	8.40%	7.39%	9.64%	6.66%
ch. pri. sch.	**	.53%	1.12%	**	.29%	1.68%	1.73%	**	**
qr.ch. pri. s.	**	**	.93%	**	.29%	.84%	.86%	.87%	**
ch. ed. hme.	**	**	.37%	**	**	**	.86%	**	**
qr.ch. ed. h.	**	.53%	.37%	3.12%	.29%	**	.43%	**	**
no ch. Nv. s.	66.16%	54.25%	51.58%	53.12%	52.64%	53.78%	57.39%	52.63%	60.00%
1 pri.; o. p.s.	.75%	1.06%	.56%	**	.58%	.84%	.86%	**	3.33%

[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

40. Do you have children or grandchildren enrolled in Nevada schools?

	H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
child in public school	35.42%	30.03%
grandchild in public school	6.64%	13.48%
child in private school	.73%	.85%
grandchild in private school	.73%	.51%
child educated at home	.36%	.17%
grandchild educated at home	.36%	.17%
no child in Nevada schools	54.98%	54.09%
one in private; other pub. school	.73%	.68%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

40. Do you have children or grandchildren enrolled in Nevada schools?

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
ch. pub. sch.	27.77%	39.39%	40.50%	13.51%	49.36%	3.93%	32.83%
gr.ch. pub. s.	11.11%	4.54%	7.36%	2.70%	10.12%	26.96%	11.94%
ch. pri. sch.	**	.75%	1.41%	**	1.26%	**	**
gr.ch. pri. s.	**	.75%	.56%	**	**	.56%	1.49%
ch. ed. hme.	**	.75%	**	**	**	**	1.49%
gr.ch. ed. h.	**	**	**	2.70%	1.26%	.56%	**
no ch. Nv. s.	61.11%	53.78%	49.29%	81.08%	36.70%	67.97%	49.25%
1 pri.; o. p.s.	**	**	.84%	**	1.26%	**	2.98%

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

41. How often does your child participate in the school lunch program?

	TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
		FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
	n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
5 days a week	11.89%	12.24%	11.54%	5.35%	14.91%	13.58%	7.58%	12.19%	5.55%	19.27%
3-5 d. a week	4.73%	5.31%	4.15%	3.57%	4.06%	5.57%	4.91%	4.54%	3.24%	7.22%
1-3 d. a week	9.35%	10.39%	8.31%	1.78%	13.55%	7.66%	7.58%	9.71%	8.79%	9.03%
0 days a week	74.00%	72.05%	75.97%	89.28%	67.45%	73.15%	78.56%	73.54%	82.40%	64.45%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
5 days a week	8.27%	13.29%	12.52%	18.75%	12.05%	16.80%	7.82%	11.40%	16.66%
3-5 d. a week	2.25%	6.38%	4.48%	9.37%	5.00%	2.52%	3.04%	8.77%	3.33%
1-3 d. a week	5.26%	4.78%	11.96%	12.50%	12.94%	5.88%	7.39%	7.01%	3.33%
0 days a week	82.40%	75.52%	71.01%	59.37%	69.98%	74.78%	81.72%	72.79%	76.66%

1 .46% refused to identify
2 1.15% refused to identify
3 .11% refused to identify

41. How often does your child participate in the school lunch program?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch.	gr.ch. pub. sch.	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch.	Nv. h.s.	Another state h.s.
	n=275	n=99	n=469	n=271	n=586
5 days a week	26.54%	25.25%	**	11.80%	12.11%
3-5 d. a week	8.72%	12.12%	**	5.53%	4.43%
1-3 d. a week	18.18%	24.24%	**	13.65%	7.50%
0 days a week	46.54%	38.38%	100.00%	68.99%	75.93%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=18	n=132	n=353	n=37	n=79	n=178	n=67
5 days a week	11.11%	12.12%	14.73%	2.70%	16.45%	8.98%	4.47%
3-5 d. a week	**	3.78%	4.81%	5.40%	3.79%	3.93%	10.44%
1-3 d. a week	5.55%	18.18%	9.34%	5.40%	6.32%	6.74%	5.97%
0 days a week	83.33%	65.90%	71.09%	86.47%	73.41%	80.33%	79.10%

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

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42. Do you think the cost of the school lunch is

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
1	too high	8.66%	10.39%	6.92%	8.92%	10.50%	9.40%	5.35%	6.81%	8.79%	13.85%
-1	too low	.57%	.69%	.46%	**	.67%	.69%	.44%	.82%	.46%	**
0	about right	29.79%	32.10%	27.48%	19.64%	36.94%	33.10%	18.30%	28.30%	25.46%	39.75%
	(undec.)	12.12%	13.16%	11.08%	8.92%	8.47%	14.28%	14.73%	9.91%	14.81%	15.06%
	(non seq.)	48.83%	43.64%	54.03%	62.50%	43.38%	42.50%	61.15%	54.12%	50.46%	31.32%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
too high	8.27%	9.57%	8.41%	6.25%	8.82%	5.88%	9.13%	11.40%	6.66%
too low	**	**	.93%	**	.58%	**	**	2.63%	**
about right	23.30%	27.65%	31.77%	31.25%	30.00%	31.93%	25.65%	35.96%	23.33%
(undec.)	11.27%	11.17%	12.52%	21.87%	11.17%	16.80%	11.73%	7.89%	13.33%
(non seq.)	57.14%	51.59%	46.35%	40.62%	49.40%	45.37%	53.47%	42.09%	56.66%

1 .46% refused to identify
2 1.15% refused to identify
3 .11% refused to identify
** = less than one percent

'90
$\bar{x}$ = .21
s = .44

42. Do you think the cost of the school lunch is

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
too high	16.00%	15.15%	2.77%	8.11%	8.87%
too low	.72%	1.01%	.42%	1.47%	.17%
about right	60.72%	45.45%	7.88%	37.26%	26.45%
(undec.)	16.00%	28.28%	6.18%	11.07%	12.62%
(non seq.)	6.54%	10.10%	82.72%	42.06%	51.87%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
too high	**	8.33%	9.06%	5.40%	17.72%	5.05%	8.95%
too low	5.55%	.75%	.28%	**	1.26%	.56%	**
about right	27.77%	34.09%	35.12%	16.21%	31.64%	16.85%	32.83%
(undec.)	16.66%	11.36%	11.33%	13.51%	16.45%	12.92%	8.95%
(non seq.)	50.00%	45.45%	44.19%	64.86%	32.91%	64.60%	49.25%

[4]responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

43. Would you agree or disagree with: "The quality of food in the school lunch program is good"?

		GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
	TOTAL	FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
	n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
2 st. agree	8.42%	8.77%	8.08%	1.78%	9.83%	10.45%	5.80%	7.02%	3.70%	18.67%
1 sw. agree	17.89%	19.16%	16.62%	23.21%	21.01%	18.46%	10.71%	18.18%	12.50%	24.09%
-1 sw. disagree	6.92%	7.85%	6.00%	12.50%	7.11%	6.96%	5.35%	8.26%	4.16%	6.62%
-2 st. disagree	15.70%	20.09%	11.31%	19.64%	21.01%	16.02%	7.58%	14.87%	22.22%	9.63%
0 (undec.)	20.32%	18.70%	21.94%	14.28%	16.94%	16.37%	31.69%	21.48%	23.14%	13.25%
0 (no opinion)	30.71%	25.40%	36.02%	28.57%	24.06%	31.70%	38.83%	30.16%	34.25%	27.71%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
st. agree	3.75%	6.91%	9.90%	3.12%	7.64%	14.28%	6.08%	9.64%	13.33%
sw. agree	18.04%	16.48%	17.94%	25.00%	17.64%	17.64%	13.91%	24.56%	16.66%
sw. disagree	4.51%	4.78%	8.22%	6.25%	9.41%	4.20%	4.34%	7.01%	10.00%
st. disagree	15.78%	15.42%	15.88%	12.50%	15.88%	15.12%	15.65%	18.42%	10.00%
(undec.)	24.81%	14.89%	21.30%	18.75%	20.88%	14.28%	23.04%	19.29%	23.33%
(no opinion)	33.08%	41.48%	26.72%	34.37%	28.52%	34.45%	36.95%	21.05%	26.66%

1 .46% refused to identify
2 1.15% refused to identify
3 .11% refused to identify

'90
$\bar{x}$ = -.04
s = 1.10

43. Would you agree or disagree with: "The quality of food in the school lunch program is good"?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
st. agree	13.09%	18.18%	2.98%	10.33%	7.67%
sw. agree	29.09%	22.22%	11.08%	25.46%	14.33%
sw. disagree	7.63%	14.14%	4.47%	8.85%	6.14%
st. disagree	30.90%	15.15%	6.60%	16.97%	15.18%
(undec.)	7.63%	14.14%	29.63%	18.45%	20.47%
(no opinion)	11.63%	16.16%	45.20%	19.92%	36.17%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
st. agree	11.11%	10.60%	9.91%	2.70%	6.32%	5.61%	8.95%
sw. agree	16.66%	18.18%	21.81%	16.21%	21.51%	10.11%	11.94%
sw. disagree	5.55%	6.06%	7.64%	10.81%	8.86%	4.49%	7.46%
st. disagree	5.55%	15.15%	18.98%	10.81%	24.05%	6.74%	19.40%
(undec.)	11.11%	18.93%	15.86%	21.62%	13.92%	34.83%	17.91%
(no opinion)	50.00%	31.06%	25.77%	37.83%	25.31%	38.20%	34.32%

[4] responses include:
- child/children in private school .80%
- grandchild/children in private school .57%
- child/children educated at home .23%
- grandchild/children educated at home .34%
- one child in private; other in public school .69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

44. Is your age group

		TOTAL n=866	GENDER FEMALE n=433	GENDER MALE n=433	REGION CLARK n=484	REGION WASHOE n=216	REGION OTHER n=166
0	18-24	6.69%	4.38%	9.00%	7.85%	4.62%	6.02%
1	25-40	34.06%	36.02%	32.10%	34.09%	37.50%	29.51%
2	41-55	32.79%	34.18%	31.40%	29.54%	35.18%	39.15%
3	56+	25.98%	24.94%	27.02%	27.89%	22.22%	25.30%
	(refused)	.46%	.46%	.46%	.61%	.46%	**

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[1] -5 yrs. n=133	5-10 yrs. n=188	11+ yrs. n=535	HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[2] -h.s. n=32	h.s. n=340	A.A. n=119	B.A/S. n=230	M.A/S. n=114	Doctorate n=30
18-24	11.27%	6.38%	5.79%	15.62%	8.82%	5.04%	5.65%	2.63%	3.33%
25-40	39.84%	45.21%	28.97%	28.12%	33.82%	39.49%	36.08%	25.43%	40.00%
41-55	27.06%	25.00%	37.00%	12.50%	30.58%	35.29%	30.86%	45.61%	36.66%
56+	21.80%	22.87%	27.66%	43.75%	26.76%	20.16%	26.52%	25.43%	20.00%
(refused)	**	.53%	.56%	**	**	**	.86%	.87%	**

[1] 1.15% refused to identify
[2] .11% refused to identify
** = less than one percent

'90	'88	'86
$\bar{x}$ = 1.78	$\bar{x}$ = 1.97	$\bar{x}$ = 1.69
s = .91	s = .96	s = .94

44. Is your age group

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch.	gr.ch. pub. sch.	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch.	Nv. h.s.	Another state h.s.
	n=275	n=99	n=469	n=271	n=586
18-24	1.45%	**	11.30%	16.97%	2.04%
25-40	54.90%	1.01%	27.93%	45.38%	29.18%
41-55	39.63%	33.33%	28.78%	26.56%	35.66%
56+	3.63%	63.63%	31.76%	10.70%	32.76%
(refused)	.36%	2.02%	.21%	.36%	.34%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=18	n=132	n=353	n=37	n=79	n=178	n=67
18-24	**	4.54%	8.49%	45.94%	1.26%	**	5.97%
25-40	50.00%	46.21%	42.49%	29.72%	51.89%	**	32.83%
41-55	38.88%	38.63%	40.50%	24.32%	34.17%	8.42%	47.76%
56+	11.11%	10.60%	8.49%	**	12.65%	89.88%	13.43%
(refused)	**	**	**	**	**	1.68%	**

[4]responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

45. Have you been a resident of Nevada

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
0	-5 yrs.	15.01%	14.54%	15.47%	23.21%	17.62%	12.89%	12.50%	18.38%	12.03%	9.03%
1	5-10 yrs.	21.59%	20.78%	22.40%	21.42%	28.81%	16.02%	19.19%	23.76%	15.74%	22.89%
2	11+ yrs.	62.35%	63.04%	61.66%	55.35%	52.88%	70.03%	66.51%	57.64%	70.37%	65.66%
	(refused)	1.03%	1.61%	.46%	**	.67%	1.04%	1.78%	.20%	1.85%	2.40%

	HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[2]					
	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
-5 yrs.	15.62%	12.35%	17.64%	17.82%	14.03%	16.66%
5-10 yrs.	18.75%	19.70%	25.21%	25.21%	15.78%	26.66%
11+ yrs.	65.62%	66.47%	57.14%	56.08%	68.42%	56.66%
(refused)	**	1.47%	**	.86%	1.75%	**

1 .46% refused to identify
2 .11% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

'90

$\bar{x}$ = 1.48
s = .74

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45. Have you been a resident of Nevada

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[3]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[4]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
-5 yrs.	13.45%	7.07%	18.12%	2.58%	20.81%
5-10 yrs.	26.54%	9.09%	21.53%	8.48%	27.81%
11+ yrs.	58.90%	80.80%	59.70%	85.97%	51.19%
(refused)	1.09%	3.03%	.63%	2.95%	.17%

	EMPLOYMENT[5]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
-5 yrs.	11.11%	13.63%	16.14%	24.32%	13.92%	15.16%	8.95%
5-10 yrs.	11.11%	27.27%	21.52%	27.02%	26.58%	17.97%	14.92%
11+ yrs.	77.77%	58.33%	61.47%	48.64%	58.22%	65.16%	74.62%
(refused)	**	.75%	.84%	**	1.26%	1.68%	1.49%

[3] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[4] 1.03% refused to identify

[5] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

46. Is your marital status

	TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
		FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
	n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
single	12.58%	9.00%	16.16%	82.14%	13.89%	5.22%	3.12%	12.80%	16.66%	6.62%
married	77.25%	78.29%	76.21%	16.07%	76.61%	84.32%	84.82%	77.06%	71.75%	84.93%
divorced	6.00%	7.15%	4.84%	1.78%	8.13%	8.01%	1.33%	6.40%	5.55%	5.42%
widowed	3.92%	5.54%	2.30%	**	1.01%	2.43%	10.71%	3.30%	6.01%	3.01%
(refused)	.23%	**	.46%	**	.33%	**	**	.41%	**	**

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
single	20.30%	11.17%	11.40%	21.87%	11.76%	13.44%	14.34%	7.01%	16.66%
married	71.42%	78.19%	78.31%	53.12%	75.00%	79.83%	78.26%	85.08%	83.33%
divorced	7.51%	8.51%	4.85%	12.50%	7.94%	5.88%	4.78%	2.63%	**
widowed	.75%	2.12%	5.04%	12.50%	5.29%	.84%	2.17%	5.26%	**
(refused)	**	**	.37%	**	**	**	.43%	**	**

1 .46% refused to identify
2 1.15% refused to identify
3 .11% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

46. Is your marital status

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch.	gr.ch. pub. sch.	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch.	Nv. h.s.	Another state h.s.
	n=275	n=99	n=469	n=271	n=586
single	2.90%	**	21.32%	22.50%	8.19%
married	89.81%	83.83%	68.23%	69.74%	80.71%
divorced	5.81%	5.05%	6.39%	4.79%	6.65%
widowed	1.09%	11.11%	3.83%	2.58%	4.43%
(refused)	.36%	**	.21%	.36%	**

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=18	n=132	n=353	n=37	n=79	n=178	n=67
single	22.22%	12.87%	15.58%	51.35%	**	2.80%	11.94%
married	72.22%	76.51%	73.65%	40.54%	96.20%	84.26%	80.59%
divorced	5.55%	8.33%	8.49%	2.70%	2.53%	2.24%	4.47%
widowed	**	2.27%	1.98%	5.40%	1.26%	10.67%	2.98%
(refused)	**	**	.28%	**	**	**	**

[4]responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

47. Did you attend or graduate from a Nevada high school, or a school in another state?

	TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
		FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
	n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
Nevada h.s.	31.29%	30.25%	32.33%	78.57%	41.69%	25.78%	12.94%	23.34%	39.81%	43.37%
Another state	67.55%	68.36%	66.74%	21.42%	57.62%	73.17%	85.26%	75.61%	58.33%	56.02%
(refused)	1.15%	1.38%	.92%	**	.67%	1.04%	1.78%	1.03%	1.85%	.60%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
Nevada h.s.	7.51%	12.76%	42.80%	31.25%	32.94%	26.89%	30.00%	33.33%	33.33%
Another state	91.72%	86.70%	55.70%	59.37%	66.17%	73.10%	68.69%	66.66%	66.66%
(refused)	.75%	.53%	1.49%	9.37%	.88%	**	1.30%	**	**

1 .46% refused to identify
2 1.15% refused to identify
3 .11% refused to identify

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47. Did you attend or graduate from a Nevada high school, or a school in another state?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]		
	child pub. sch.	gr.ch. pub. sch.	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch.
	n=275	n=99	n=469
Nevada h.s.	35.27%	18.18%	31.55%
Another state	64.00%	79.79%	67.37%
(refused)	.72%	2.02%	1.06%

	EMPLOYMENT[5]						
	employer	employee super.	employee	unemployed	homemaker	retired	self-employed
	n=18	n=132	n=353	n=37	n=79	n=178	n=67
Nevada h.s.	27.77%	37.12%	33.99%	54.05%	37.97%	12.92%	34.32%
Another state	72.22%	61.36%	65.72%	45.94%	59.49%	85.39%	64.17%
(refused)	**	1.51%	.28%	**	2.53%	1.68%	1.49%

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

48. In what state did you attend or graduate from high school?

	TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
	n=866	FEMALE n=433	MALE n=433	18-24 n=56	25-40 n=295	41-55 n=287	56+ n=224	CLARK n=484	WASHOE n=216	OTHER n=166
West	33.71%	36.02%	31.40%	14.28%	35.59%	37.28%	31.69%	29.95%	41.66%	34.33%
Central	18.47%	17.32%	19.63%	5.35%	11.52%	21.25%	27.67%	23.76%	12.50%	10.84%
Northeast	9.93%	9.69%	10.16%	**	5.42%	9.05%	19.19%	13.42%	3.70%	7.83%
Southeast	5.31%	5.54%	5.08%	3.57%	5.76%	4.87%	5.80%	7.02%	3.24%	3.01%
(refused)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
(no h.s.)	.57%	.69%	.46%	**	**	.34%	1.78%	.61%	**	1.20%
(not in USA)	1.73%	1.84%	1.61%	**	1.01%	2.43%	2.23%	2.27%	1.38%	.60%
(non seq.)	30.25%	28.86%	31.63%	76.78%	40.67%	24.73%	11.60%	22.93%	37.50%	42.16%

[1] .46% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

48. In what state did you attend or graduate from high school?

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs. n=133	5-10 yrs. n=188	11+ yrs. n=535	-h.s. n=32	h.s. n=340	A.A. n=119	B.A/S. n=230	M.A/S. n=114	Doctorate n=30
West	48.12%	41.48%	27.85%	28.12%	32.05%	42.85%	33.47%	32.45%	30.00%
Central	24.06%	24.46%	15.14%	9.37%	17.94%	17.64%	20.43%	18.42%	23.33%
Northeast	9.77%	14.36%	8.59%	9.37%	9.70%	9.24%	9.56%	13.15%	6.66%
Southeast	8.27%	6.38%	4.29%	6.25%	5.88%	3.36%	5.21%	3.50%	13.33%
(refused)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
(no h.s.)	.75%	**	.74%	9.37%	.29%	**	.43%	**	**
(not in USA)	1.50%	1.59%	1.86%	3.12%	1.47%	.84%	3.04%	.87%	**
(non seq.)	7.51%	11.70%	41.49%	34.37%	32.64%	26.05%	27.82%	31.57%	26.66%

[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

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48. In what state did you attend or graduate from high school?

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
West	35.63%	38.38%	31.13%	**	48.46%
Central	14.90%	21.21%	20.46%	**	26.62%
Northeast	6.18%	13.13%	11.51%	**	14.50%
Southeast	6.90%	6.06%	4.47%	**	7.50%
(refused)	**	**	**	**	**
(no h.s.)	**	1.01%	.85%	**	.17%
(not in USA)	1.09%	2.02%	1.91%	**	2.21%
(non seq.)	35.27%	18.18%	29.63%	100.00%	.51%

[4] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

48. In what state did you attend or graduate from high school?

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
West	50.00%	32.57%	33.71%	35.13%	29.11%	32.58%	40.29%
Central	11.11%	14.39%	16.99%	13.51%	12.65%	29.77%	16.41%
Northeast	5.55%	11.36%	7.36%	**	10.12%	16.85%	8.95%
Southeast	11.11%	3.78%	5.66%	**	7.59%	5.61%	4.47%
(refused)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
(no h.s.)	**	.75%	**	**	1.26%	1.68%	**
(not in USA)	**	1.51%	1.69%	2.70%	2.53%	2.24%	**
(non seq.)	22.22%	35.60%	34.56%	48.64%	36.70%	11.23%	29.85%

[6] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

49. Is the highest education level attained in the household a

		TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
			FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
		n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
0	-h.s.	3.69%	3.92%	3.46%	8.92%	3.05%	1.39%	6.25%	3.92%	3.24%	3.61%
1	h.s. diploma	39.14%	41.57%	36.72%	51.78%	38.64%	36.93%	40.17%	42.14%	35.18%	35.54%
2	associate	13.85%	12.93%	14.78%	10.71%	16.27%	14.98%	10.26%	13.63%	12.50%	16.26%
3	bachelor's	26.55%	25.86%	27.25%	21.42%	28.13%	25.08%	27.23%	24.38%	29.16%	29.51%
4	master's	13.16%	13.16%	13.16%	5.35%	9.83%	17.77%	13.39%	12.19%	16.20%	12.04%
5	doctorate	3.46%	2.54%	4.38%	1.78%	4.06%	3.83%	2.67%	3.51%	3.70%	3.01%
	(refused)	.11%	**	.23%	**	**	**	**	.20%	**	**

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s = 1.27	s = 1.24	s = 1.26

[1] .46% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

49. Is the highest education level attained in the household a

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]		
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.
	n=133	n=188	n=535
(-h.s.)	3.75%	3.19%	3.92%
h.s. diploma	33.08%	35.63%	41.49%
associate	15.78%	15.95%	12.89%
bachelor's	31.57%	31.38%	23.73%
master's	12.03%	9.57%	14.57%
doctorate	3.75%	4.25%	3.17%
(refused)	**	**	.18%

[2] 1.15% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

49. Is the highest education level attained in the household a

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[3]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[4]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
(-h.s.)	1.81%	9.09%	3.62%	3.69%	3.24%
h.s. diploma	38.54%	50.50%	37.95%	40.95%	38.56%
associate	15.27%	10.10%	13.64%	12.17%	14.84%
bachelor's	25.45%	17.17%	28.14%	25.46%	26.96%
master's	15.27%	11.11%	12.79%	14.02%	12.96%
doctorate	3.27%	2.02%	3.83%	3.69%	3.41%
(refused)	.36%	**	**	**	**

[3] responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[4] 1.03% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

49. Is the highest education level attained in the household a

	EMPLOYMENT[5]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
(-h.s.)	**	1.51%	1.69%	16.21%	6.32%	6.74%	1.49%
h.s. diploma	16.66%	34.84%	43.05%	32.43%	37.97%	39.88%	35.82%
associate	22.22%	17.42%	13.59%	18.91%	6.32%	14.04%	11.94%
bachelor's	27.77%	31.06%	25.49%	27.02%	30.37%	26.40%	19.40%
master's	27.77%	10.60%	13.03%	2.70%	17.72%	11.79%	19.40%
doctorate	5.55%	4.54%	3.11%	2.70%	1.26%	1.12%	11.94%
(refused)	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

[5] .23% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

50. Are you a/an

	TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
		FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
	n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
employer	1.73%	1.15%	2.30%	**	2.03%	2.43%	.89%	1.44%	1.85%	2.40%
employee spv.	15.01%	10.85%	19.16%	8.92%	20.00%	18.46%	5.80%	13.22%	20.37%	13.25%
employee	41.33%	41.57%	41.10%	53.57%	52.20%	49.47%	14.28%	44.83%	33.79%	40.96%
unemployed	4.15%	3.00%	5.31%	28.57%	4.06%	2.78%	**	3.71%	5.55%	3.61%
homemaker	9.12%	17.32%	.92%	1.78%	13.89%	9.75%	4.01%	8.05%	10.64%	10.24%
retired	20.55%	19.63%	21.47%	**	**	5.57%	70.98%	21.69%	18.51%	19.87%
self-employed	7.85%	6.46%	9.23%	7.14%	7.45%	11.49%	4.01%	6.81%	8.79%	9.63%
(refused)	.23%	**	.46%	**	.33%	**	**	.20%	.46%	**

[1] .46% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

50. Are you a/an

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs. n=133	5-10 yrs. n=188	11+ yrs. n=535	-h.s. n=32	h.s. n=340	A.A. n=119	B.A/S. n=230	M.A/S. n=114	Doctorate n=30
employer	.75%	1.06%	2.24%	**	.88%	2.52%	1.30%	4.38%	3.33%
employee spv.	13.53%	20.21%	13.64%	6.25%	13.23%	19.32%	17.39%	12.28%	20.00%
employee	44.36%	40.42%	41.12%	18.75%	45.00%	41.17%	40.43%	40.35%	36.66%
unemployed	7.51%	4.78%	3.17%	18.75%	3.23%	5.88%	4.34%	.87%	3.33%
homemaker	8.27%	11.17%	8.59%	15.62%	9.41%	3.36%	10.43%	11.40%	3.33%
retired	20.30%	17.02%	21.49%	37.50%	20.88%	21.00%	20.43%	18.42%	6.66%
self-employed	4.51%	5.31%	9.53%	3.12%	7.05%	6.72%	5.65%	12.28%	26.66%
(refused)	.75%	**	.18%	**	.29%	**	**	**	**

[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

50. Are you a/an

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
employer	1.09%	2.02%	2.13%	1.47%	1.87%
employee spv.	18.54%	6.06%	14.92%	17.34%	13.82%
employee	53.09%	26.26%	37.52%	45.38%	39.93%
unemployed	1.45%	1.01%	6.39%	7.38%	2.73%
homemaker	14.90%	8.08%	5.75%	11.07%	8.02%
retired	2.54%	48.48%	25.79%	8.48%	25.93%
self-employed	8.00%	8.08%	7.24%	8.48%	7.67%
(refused)	.36%	**	.21%	.36%	**

[4]responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

** = less than one percent

51. Presently are you an employee of the

	TOTAL	GENDER		AGE[1]				REGION		
		FEMALE	MALE	18-24	25-40	41-55	56+	CLARK	WASHOE	OTHER
	n=866	n=433	n=433	n=56	n=295	n=287	n=224	n=484	n=216	n=166
priv. sector	35.79%	30.48%	41.10%	42.85%	49.83%	38.32%	12.94%	39.46%	37.96%	22.28%
public sector	23.09%	23.32%	22.86%	19.64%	25.76%	32.75%	8.48%	21.28%	20.37%	31.92%
(refused)	.46%	.46%	.46%	**	**	.69%	.44%	.20%	.92%	.60%
(non seq.)	40.64%	45.72%	35.56%	37.50%	24.40%	28.22%	78.12%	39.04%	40.74%	45.18%

	LENGTH OF RESIDENCE[2]			HOUSEHOLD EDUCATION LEVEL[3]					
	-5 yrs.	5-10 yrs.	11+ yrs.	-h.s.	h.s.	A.A.	B.A/S.	M.A/S.	Doctorate
	n=133	n=188	n=535	n=32	n=340	n=119	n=230	n=114	n=30
priv. sector	36.09%	40.95%	34.20%	9.37%	40.29%	42.85%	37.39%	20.17%	33.33%
public sector	21.80%	22.34%	23.92%	15.62%	20.29%	18.48%	22.17%	37.71%	33.33%
(refused)	**	.53%	.37%	**	**	.84%	**	1.75%	**
(non seq.)	42.10%	36.17%	41.49%	75.00%	39.41%	37.81%	40.43%	40.35%	33.33%

[1] .46% refused to identify
[2] 1.15% refused to identify
[3] .11% refused to identify
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51. Presently are you an employee of the

	SCHOOL ENROLLMENT[4]			H.S. ATTENDANCE[5]	
	child pub. sch. n=275	gr.ch. pub. sch. n=99	no ch./gr.ch. pub. sch. n=469	Nv. h.s. n=271	Another state h.s. n=586
priv. sector	41.09%	17.17%	36.67%	40.22%	33.95%
public sector	32.36%	18.18%	18.76%	25.09%	22.35%
(refused)	.72%	**	.42%	.36%	.34%
(non seq.)	25.81%	64.64%	44.13%	34.31%	43.34%

	EMPLOYMENT[6]						
	employer n=18	employee super. n=132	employee n=353	unemployed n=37	homemaker n=79	retired n=178	self-employed n=67
priv. sector	44.44%	67.42%	55.24%	**	**	**	20.89%
public sector	5.55%	32.57%	44.19%	**	**	**	**
(refused)	**	**	.56%	**	1.26%	.56%	**
(non seq.)	50.00%	**	**	100.00%	98.73%	99.43%	79.10%

[4]responses include:

child/children in private school	.80%
grandchild/children in private school	.57%
child/children educated at home	.23%
grandchild/children educated at home	.34%
one child in private; other in public school	.69%

[5] 1.03% refused to identify

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